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## COUNTRY JURIES TO TRY CASES IF CITIES PARTIES

Bill to Change Code of Practice  
in This Regard Introduced  
in House.

One or Two Democrats Likely  
to Lose Contested Seats.

### FOR INSPECTION OF WEIGHTS

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6.—Representative John Feland, of Hopkinsville, introduced a bill in the house to change the code of practice. The bill provides that in all litigation, where any city or incorporated town has an interest, either as plaintiff or defendant, the jury shall be selected from the county outside the city. According to the author, the present system of selecting a jury these cases work a hardship to plaintiffs in damage suits against a town or city, as the attorneys on the other side in their arguments to the jury, on which in most cases are residents of the city, dwell on the fact that should they allow damages they, as taxpayers, will be the ones who will have to pay the judgment. Mr. Feland says that usually does the work.

Representative R. E. Stewart, of Hancock county, wants all scales used to weigh the products of farmers and others officially inspected by state authority at least twice a year, and will introduce a bill in the house providing for such regulations. He says shippers of tobacco in the Green river and dark districts have suffered greatly by lack of such inspections, which tends to encourage discrepancy in weights by persons who may be dishonest. The authority for the official inspection of scales will likely be conferred on the department of agriculture.

### House Contests.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6.—One and perhaps two Democrats who now hold seats in the legislature may lose their places as a result of contests which have been filed against them. The committees which have their cases under consideration have never made a report, but it is rumored on good authority that a report will be made in the next day or two and the report will recommend that the Republicans be seated. It is also reported that the majority of the members of the house will vote to adopt this report.

In the house now there are forty-nine Republicans and fifty-one Democrats, and the unseating of two Democrats would leave the position of the two parties just reversed. It is regarded as probable that no more than one Democrat will be unseated, and this would leave each party with fifty members.

## HARD ON THE DOCTORS

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Carl M. Post, a farmer of the county, who gives liabilities of \$335 with no assets. The indebtedness is due Drs. Frank Boyd and R. D. Harper for professional services rendered Mr. Post's wife.

### K. C. SMOKER

A large number of Knights of Columbus and male members of St. Francis de Sales parish attended the smoker given by Paducah council last night, and an unusually enjoyable time was had. F. H. Panagau presided, and addresses were made by the Rev. H. W. Jansen, J. T. Donovan, J. J. Dorland and A. H. Egan. The Knights expect to have a large class for initiation about Easter.

## COPPER COUNTRY BLIZZARD SWEEP AND SNOW BURIED

Houghton, Mich., Feb. 6.—Copper Country is enveloped in the worst blizzard of the winter and present indications are that it will continue during the next 12 hours. All trains are two to ten hours late, some falling to arrive at all. Trolley lines are buried beneath the snow.

### Train Service Demoralized.

New Richmond, Wis., Feb. 6.—A severe storm raged last night and today. It was general all over Northern Wisconsin. Train service is demoralized.

## Taft on First Ballot, is Opinion of Tom Taggart and Urey Woodson, Who Are Observers of Conditions.

Chairman of Democratic National Committee Believes  
That Republicans Will Have  
Harmonious Convention.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Nomination of Secretary of War Taft for president on the first ballot in the Republican national convention was predicted by the men who think they will have to manage a campaign against him. Thomas Taggart, chairman, and Urey Woodson, secretary of the Democratic national committee, were the men who forecast the action of the Chicago convention. They went to the Auditorium Annex, where they were met by Roger Sullivan, Democratic national committeeman from Illinois, chairman of the subcommittee on arrangements for the convention.

The prediction of Chairman Taggart and Secretary Woodson as to the choice of the Republicans was called forth indirectly by a question regarding the special message sent by Roosevelt to congress.

"Do you think that the president's message will have any effect upon the general political situation?" was asked of Mr. Taggart.

"I cannot see that it will," said he. "The president said nothing in his special message which he has not reiterated. The same opinions are repeated. In my mind the special message will help Secretary of War Taft's candidacy."

"It looks to me," continued Chairman Taggart, "as if the Republicans are going to have a convention as harmonious as our meeting at Denver. To my mind there is nothing to it except Taft for the Republicans. His choice seems to be as much a certainty as the choice of Mr. Bryan. I believe that the first ballot will settle the Taft matter."

"Yes, and if there was a chance that some trick might be played which would hurt Taft, you would see Roosevelt arise in the convention and make the effort of his life," added Mr. Woodson. "Roosevelt will do all he can for Taft."

Both the leaders said they thought that the Republicans would make "Rooseveltism" the issue of their campaign and that the candidates of the party—state and local—would try to keep the president and his policies to the front in the campaign.

—The Rev. W. A. Freeman, of Fulton, will lecture at the First Baptist church Friday evening on "Christian Citizenship."

## EFFORT TO REMOVE M. E. GILBERT AS ADMINISTRATOR IS LATEST MOTION

Trouble Over Estates of W. Y. and Mrs. Alma Griffith Bobs  
Up Again in County Court—  
Hearing February 17.

Notice was served on Attorney M. E. Gilbert by Attorney W. A. Berry, representing Dr. B. B. Griffith, guardian of Isabelle and Urey Griffith, of whose estate Gilbert was administrator, and it is claimed that Gilbert has failed to make any effort to settle the estate.

In the meantime Mr. Gilbert and some of his friends are busy and are expected to make a hard fight not only to sustain the will, which he declares is genuine, but to prevent his removal as administrator of the estate of W. Y. Griffith. In addition to the law firm of Hendrick & Corbett, the names of the firm of Oliver & Oliver appear on a petition filed in circuit court yesterday by Gilbert as administrator of W. Y. Griffith's estate against Dr. B. B. Griffith to enforce the collection of a due bill for \$104.15 claimed due the estate.

Dr. Griffith is clearly solvent, but refuses to pay any money over until the motion to remove Gilbert as administrator is decided.

Upon the will being refused probate, Dr. Griffith was appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Alma Griffith and guardian of the children.

NAMES ON BUTTONS.  
Washington, Feb. 6.—According to button makers they are only making buttons bearing the names of Taft, Hughes, Bryan and Johnson, of Minnesota, as possible presidential timbers. They are not making buttons of Fairbanks, Foraker, Cannon or any other men.

## HUBBARD ALLEGED TO HAVE HELD OUT AT LEAST \$250

Waiving examination in police court this morning, H. E. Hubbard, charged with embezzlement of the funds of the Rhodes-Burford Furniture company, was held over to the grand jury and his bond was fixed at \$400. There was quite a spirited contest over the sum fixed for the bail of Hubbard. In holding Hubbard, Judge Cross fixed the bail at \$200, and County Attorney Alben Barkley made an argument for an increase and Hal S. Corbett, counsel for the defense, argued against an increase. After arguments were heard Judge Cross made the bail \$400.

The books of Hubbard are being corrected by the firm, and it is said that the shortage at present is about \$250 and it may reach a higher figure. Hubbard has tried to give bail since his arrest, but has been unable to do so. Today Hubbard tried to give the \$400 bail, but had not succeeded, and was taken to the county jail.

### Dr. Landreth Operated Upon.

Nashville, Feb. 6.—Dr. Ira Landreth, regent of Belmont college, and one of the most prominent Presbyterian ministers in the country, was operated on yesterday. This was Dr. Landreth's third attack of appendicitis and several adhesions due to those attacks were encountered.

### JUDGE ROBBINS NAMED

Louisville, Feb. 6. (Special).—R. G. Robbins, of Mayfield, was appointed receiver of the Mayfield Woolen mills at the request of the company in order to make an advantageous settlement of its affairs. The liabilities are \$307,067 and the assets \$563,800.

## TWO CENT FARE IS SUBJECT OF BILL IN LEGISLATURE

Another One Makes it Unlawful  
and Punishable to Serve  
Cold Storage Eggs.

Joint Session Results in Same  
Old Situation

### WAGGONER COUNTY UNIT BILL

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6.—(Special).—At the joint session 125 were present, \$3 necessary to a choice. Beckham received 60, Bradley 59, scattering 7. Mueller voted for Atherton and Charlton for Watterson.

This is bill day in the house. Among the important measures introduced were:

Strange.—Making it unlawful and subject to fine of from \$50 to \$500 for any hotel or restaurant to serve cold storage eggs or fish.

F. J. Brown.—Fixing the maximum fare on railroads at two cents.

The public morals committee agreed to defer Representative Waggoner's county unit bill until next Wednesday in order that liquor people may not have a complaint. A hearing will be given them.

## FAVORS CONTROL OF BIG CORPORATIONS

New York, Feb. 6.—Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, in a statement says he favors the physical valuation of corporations and their investigation and control by the federal government. He says knowledge and publicity of great corporation's affairs is the only source of protection against imposition and fraud. Such should cover, not only over capitalization, but the subsequent conduct of corporations.

### JAPAN EXEMPTS ARTICLES FOR COMING EXPOSITION.

Tokio, Feb. 6.—The house of representatives passed a bill, exempting articles for the international exposition from custom duties.

### EAGLES' GYM.

A list of paraphernalia for a gymnasium for the Eagles has been submitted by A. J. Spalding to cost \$750. This list does not include the outfit for a basketball team or a baseball team. A bid of \$1,150 has been given by a Toledo firm for building a swimming pool, but the lodge will let the contract to a home firm, if reasonable bids are put in. The pool is to be made of cement.

It is planned that two afternoons of each week will be given to the ladies and children for gymnasium purposes and the use of the swimming pool.

Next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock there will be a meeting of the Eagles and all the young men of the city of eighteen years and up at the Eagles club rooms for the purpose of organizing the gymnasium club. They already have about 150 members.

## INDIGNITY WAS OFFERED HER ON PULLMAN SLEEPER

Alleging that she was placed in the drawing room apartment of a sleeper, after she had engaged passage in a lower half of a berth, Miss Ella Patterson has filed suit in circuit court against the Pullman company and the Illinois Central Railroad company for \$2,000 damages. Miss Patterson states in her petition, that upon the refusal of the conductor of the sleeping car to place at her disposal the berth engaged, she agreed to take an apartment in the drawing room of the car with the understanding that no man was to be placed in that apartment; but that after she had retired a man was placed in the apartment directly above her and that he attempted to enter her apartment and otherwise insulted her, and that although she gave the alarm, the conductor refused to remove the man from the apartment and she was forced to spend the night in fear that the indignities would be repeated.

The incident occurred coming from Chicago to Paducah, August 30, 1907. The plaintiff is the daughter of W. H. Patterson.

## Big Flour Mill May be Located at Paducah, if Impression of Owners is Borne Out by Conditions Here.

## PEANUT COMPANY APPRAISERS FIX VALUE OF PLANT

The value of the machinery and fixtures of the Southern Peanut company was fixed at \$3,000 by J. S. Jackson, Sr., J. S. Jackson, Jr., and M. W. Boyd, receiver of the concern, appraised it this morning and the report of the appraisement was filed with Referee Bagby, of the bankrupt court. In a former report the receiver states that the books of the company were in a bad tangle and would require a great deal of work to be straightened out so that the amount of the indebtedness could be known. A meeting of the creditors has been called for February 17 and notices have been sent to all the known creditors of the company that they may present their claims against the company.

### REFERENDUM MEASURE IN OHIO LEGISLATURE.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 6.—After one of the hardest fought contests ever witnessed on the floor of the Ohio senate, that body this afternoon adopted the joint resolution introduced by Senator A. Twell, of Licking county, providing for the submission to a vote of the people at the election next November, an amendment to the constitution providing for the initiative and referendum in state legislation. Twenty-three votes were necessary for the adoption of the resolution and twenty-five were cast for it.

## RUSSIA MASSING TROOPS TO AVOID TURKS' INVASION

St. Petersburg, Feb. 6.—Five thousand troops have been ordered from Northern Caucasus to the Turkish-Persian frontier whither soldiers in small detachments have been proceeding steadily for several weeks past.

This concentration is due to the aggressive attitude of the Turks in their frontier dispute with the Persians.

The governments of Turkey and Persia have been disputing about the boundary line near Tabriz for some time past, and the situation is serious because of the fact that the interests of Germany, Great Britain and Russia may be gravely affected by an outbreak of hostilities. Turkish troops have occupied Persian territory and committed depredations.

Under cover of Kurdish tribesmen, the Turks are reported as massing infantry at Bayazid and other strategic points near the frontier in such strength as to dispose of the probability that the movement is intended solely against non-militant Persia.

Russia has only two army corps in the Caucasus, a large part of which is dispersed in detachments through the country to preserve order.

### NIGHT RIDERS AGAIN

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 6.—(Special).—A band of night riders in Western Christian county cut down telephone poles and beat Lucien Means, a farmer, who sold crops outside the association.

### LABOR'S ANSWER

Washington, Feb. 6.—An amendment to the Sherman anti-trust law, providing that nothing in the law shall be made to apply to unions or any labor organization, was introduced in congress as organized labor's answer to the recent supreme court decision.

### THIRD SET OF TWINS AT HOME OF W. A. BERRY.

Hon. W. A. Berry is receiving congratulations over the arrival of another boy and another girl in his household. This is the third time twins have been born into the family. Each time they were boys and girls and all are healthy and happy.

## Grain Market.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 6.—Wheat, 97; corn, 55½; oats, 52.

## FRANCO IN ITALY AND WILL REMAIN IN RETIREMENT

King is Requested Not to Attend  
Funeral of His Father  
and Brother.

Is Recovering Sufficiently to  
Sign His Edicts.

### ARRANGEMENTS FOR FUNERAL

Lisbon, Feb. 6.—Former Premier Franco has gone to Italy, where he will live in the future. King Manuel is improving from his wounds and his arm was in condition to sign decrees, which are rapidly restoring the constitutional form of government. Advisers are trying to prevail on him not to attend the funerals Saturday. The diplomatic corps will view the bodies in the chapel tomorrow.

### Funeral Services.

Lisbon, Feb. 6.—Preparations for the funeral of the dead king and the crown prince are rapidly nearing completion. American Minister Bryan has received the appointment of special envoy of America. He has transmitted a resolution of sympathy adopted by the American senate to Foreign Minister Lima, who was especially touched by the appreciated form of the condolence. The funeral Saturday morning will be attended with ceremonies of impressive dignity and with all the display of mourning and pagentry which attend the obsequies of Portuguese monarchs.

From the chapel at the Necessidades palace, where the bodies have reposed since February 1, servants of the house of Braganza, in the presence of high officers of the palace and of the state, special ambassadors and representatives of foreign sovereigns and states, will carry the coffins from their resting place to the funeral carriages. In front of the coffins will march high church dignitaries carrying up-raised crosses; royal, civil and military households and ministers, peers and deputies. Following the coffins will walk the queen and her mother and her son, King Manuel, after whom will come the ambassadors.

From Necessidades palace to the church of San Vicente De Fora, where the services are to be held, the funeral cortege will move slowly through the streets heavily guarded by troops.

When the church has been reached the bodies will be received at the main entrance by the Brotherhood of Misericordia, archbishop and all the bishops of Portugal, with upraised crosses. Following the coffins the new king and princess of the houses of Savoy, Hohenzollern and Bourbon will walk.

The king will proceed to the tribune prepared for him and the queen mother, while the princess will occupy a tribune facing the royal box.

The funeral services will be conducted by the cardinal patriarch of Lisbon. Before granting absolution a short allocution in praise of Don Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz will be delivered by him.

After the bodies have laid in state for three days in the church the coffins will be carried through cloisters to the royal pantheon where rest the remains of the princes of the illustrious house of Braganza. The queen mother and King Manuel will follow the bodies of their beloved kin to the last resting place.

The major-domo of the palace will then swear that the bodies in the coffins are those of King Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz, and they then will be placed in the niches prepared for them. When this has been done the infantry stationed outside of the pantheon will fire volleys, and 101 guns from the ports and salutes from men-of-war in the harbor will announce to the people of Lisbon that the solemn ceremonies are at an end.

Newspaper correspondents from London, Paris and Berlin are flocking into Lisbon. They seem disappointed at finding that the country is not in the throes of revolution. Outgoing telegraph lines already are swamped, and there are many delays incident to the flood of messages.

Increased precautions have been taken by the authorities to prevent the spread of false or alarming reports. Both commercial and press telegrams are examined to see that they conform to regulations forbidding the transmission of anything inimical to the public security or injurious to the royal family.

### Captain Carnagey Lives.

Word was received this morning by Superintendent Carnagey that his father Captain Thomas Carnagey, of Rantoul, Kan., is still alive, but that his condition is unimproved.

### WEATHER.



## COLDER

Fair and slightly colder tonight; Friday fair and warmer. Highest temperature yesterday, 50; lowest today, 30.



## MICHIGAN IS FOR TAFT FOR PREST.

Twenty Delegates of Twenty-eight Already Certain.

Popularity of Roosevelt and Confidence in Taft in Middle West Too Strong.

### THOSE WHO ARE BEHIND HIM

Detroit, Feb. 6.—Michigan is for Taft. Of the twenty-eight delegates from this state to the national convention at least twenty will be for the secretary of war. The remaining eight may be for him also—indeed, the probabilities are that they will be, but until the situation develops a little further they cannot be regarded as certain. The four delegates at large and most of the district delegates will be instructed for Taft. An effort is being made to secure a unanimous delegation, and unless something goes wrong it is probable the effort will succeed.

No one now denies that Michigan is a Taft state. There is no serious opposition to the Taft program. No open work is being done for other candidates. The people and the politicians regard the outcome as already determined—that the vote of the state is for Taft. The only question is whether two or three districts are to stand out against the general will and wish of the Republicans of the commonwealth.

Although some exceedingly clever politicians in behalf of Taft marks the recent history of events here, the salient, the compelling fact is the trend of public opinion. It is conceded by every one, even by men who favor other candidates, that a great majority of the Republicans favor Taft. The strength of this sentiment among the masses, as in Ohio, and many other states, has made it easy for those operating practically and looking after affairs to secure results. These men are so well satisfied with what has been done that they are now

virtually resting on their oars. Their work is done. All they need do in the future is to watch two or three districts where the result may still be regarded as in doubt.

When we come to look closer into the character of the public opinion, and the genesis of it, we find some very interesting and suggestive facts. If the case of Michigan is typical of public opinion generally in the west, we here get a quite accurate and instructive clue to the current trend of thought among the American people on national affairs.

The development of the Taft movement in Michigan may be ascribed to two distinct phases of public sentiment:

The first is a belief among business and professional men that Judge Taft would make a strong and steady president. They admire his character and his services. Many of them, especially the lawyers—and lawyers here as everywhere are leaders in politics—have met him and formed their estimate of him at close range.

#### Taft Men.

These are the men who have taken hold and given of their time and energy to the cause. They are for the most part men who believe in the Roosevelt policies, broadly speaking. But they look upon the president himself with varying degrees of approval. They are discriminative in their applause, and their praise is often accompanied by qualifying additions. Some would be glad to have Roosevelt himself the candidate again. Others are bitterly opposed to any such proposal. Between them, and embracing perhaps the majority of this class, are those who want the Roosevelt work carried on, but want it carried on in a more quiet way. Out of scores of similar expressions in this line that have reached my ears the following may be settled as typical:

"I believe in what is called Rooseveltism. I believe we should go on trying to make corporations obey the law, trying to punish rascality, trying to make railroad and finance more honest, trying to stop Wall street from tying up the country's money in its gambling schemes, and all that. But I believe this work can be carried on successfully without so much beating of the drum, without so much calling of men liars, without running amuck and shooting-up the town. I believe Judge Taft would preserve all the vital part of Rooseveltism and



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Mrs. Alvina Sperling, of 154 Cleybourne Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes:

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drop some of the objectionable part."

The second subdivision of public sentiment in this state is that found among the masses of the people. It is Roosevelt idolatry pure and simple. It is a feeling that President Roosevelt is the greatest man the country has had in public life since Lincoln. All that the Rev. Mr. Dixon and other ministers of the gospel are saying about Roosevelt as a John the Baptist, and all that Bourke Cockran says about him as the only crusader the Republican party has, these people believe implicitly. They are of both political parties, of all political parties. They are sincere, enthusiastic, almost fanatic in their faith in the man and his works. In their eyes Roosevelt can do no wrong. He has them completely hypnotized. They love him and hate his enemies. They believe it was his enemies who brought on the panic in New York for no other purpose than to hurt their idol.

Now, the interesting thing is that these two phases of public opinion ran together and coalesced in the Taft movement in this state.

#### HIGHEST OMELET IN WORLD.

One Hundred Dozen Eggs Come to Grief When They Collide With a Grand Rapids Car.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—One hundred dozen eggs consigned to local dealers and in charge of the American Express company were smashed into a monster omelette today when the wagon carrying them was overturned by a street car. The breaks on the eggs worked too well.

He rejects happiness who refuses all sacrifice.

#### PISO'S CURE

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## SHOOK LAMP

AND OIL IGNITED, CAUSING EXPLOSION AND FIRE.

Central Company Gets Call From Wrong Box and Makes Useless Run—Another Blaze.

Shaking a lamp at the residence of Mr. Clarence Fetty, 1615 Broad street, caused the oil to catch fire and explode last night about 8 o'clock, and for several minutes the house was in danger of burning. The lamp was on a folding bed, and when the bed was lowered the lamp was jarred and the oil caught fire. The explosion threw the burning oil over the bed, and a feather bed, two comforts and the floor were burned. In pulling the burning comforts off the bed, Mr. Fetty had his right hand painfully burned.

Mr. Fetty secured two buckets of water and had the fire abated when the firemen from station No. 2 arrived, and put an end to the blaze with the patent fire extinguishers. The alarm was sent in from box No. 34, Fourth and Broad streets, and was received at the Central station as 31, which is at Second street and Kentucky avenue. The central firemen went to this number, but discovered their mistake. Station No. 2 answered the alarm at the Fetty residence.

#### Wire Causes Scare.

One of the chandeliers at the residence of Mrs. S. R. McGinnis, 706 Broadway, was grounded yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock by a defective wire. The sputtering of the wire alarmed the residents, and a telephone message was sent Fire Chief Woods. Capt. Joe Collins, of the central station, answered the alarm and cut the wire, which ended the trouble.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Mark Cutsinger, a Bankrupt.

On this 4th day of February, A. D. 1908, on considering the petition of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge, filed on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1908, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 22d day of February, A. D. 1908, before said court, at Louisville, said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable; and that notice thereof be published one time in the Paducah Sun, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Walter Evans, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Paducah, in said district, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1908.

J. R. PURYEAR, Clerk.

#### THEATRICAL NOTES

##### "The Land of Nod."

When "The Land of Nod" is presented at The Kentucky, February 18, theater-goers of Paducah will have an opportunity of witnessing the famous musical comedy with all the new paraphernalia, in the matter of scenery, costumes and other effects. It has been repeated time and time again in the various cities from Detroit to Omaha and from St. Paul to New Orleans, and always with the same patronage. "The Land of Nod" has the comedy of the brightest sort; its music is all jingling and "catchy," its sartorial equipment is most gorgeous and beautiful, its presenting company is made up of exceedingly clever comedians and vocalists, its great chorus of 60 comprises 50 handsome young women who know how to sing and dance and its ensemble, generally, is as complete, attractive and effective as it is possible for modern stage masters to devise.

##### "The Lyman Twins" Coming.

The famous young stars, "The Lyman Twin Brothers," who will be seen here soon in their latest hit, "The Yankee Drummers," are comedians in a class by themselves, and entertainers who deal out comedy lines and situations in a way seldom seen. "The Yankee Drummers" is a most elaborate production in which they have yet appeared. Carrying a large company, a dainty chorus of pretty girls, a host of funny comedians, singers and dancers, together with a beautiful array of scenic and electrical effects complete. The flirtation song, the poppy girls and the country maidens are novelties.

Judge Charles A. Dewey, who has just celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday at Milford, has the distinction of being the oldest judge sitting on the bench in Massachusetts. He was appointed trial justice on July 20, 1861, the same day the battle of Bull Run was fought. He has been head of the Third Worcester County District court since 1864.

"So you want a job, hey? Well, what did you do at your last place?" "I didn't do anything. I was the officeboy."—Judge.

## ADES DISTRICT

IS PRO-TAFT AND WILL GO FOR HIM AS SECOND CHOICE.

Indiana Delegates to National Convention Pledged to Fairbanks for President.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 6.—Indiana Republicans selected in district conventions twenty-six delegates to the national convention at Chicago. Four delegates at-large will be chosen by the state convention April 2. The district conventions were harmonious, the delegates in many districts being selected by acclamation. In every district resolutions were adopted unanimously endorsing the candidacy of Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks for the presidential nomination and instructing the delegates to work and vote for him. Alternate delegates and national electors were chosen also.

James R. Goodrich, head of the Republican organization in Indiana, in commenting on the selection of the delegates said:

"The personnel of the Indiana delegation to the Chicago convention insures to Vice President Fairbanks the loyal and unswerving support of the state at the Chicago convention."

#### Defeat Anti-Taft Man.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 6.—The Tenth district Indiana Republicans today elected George Ade, of Kentland, humorist and playwright, and Kitt Sills of Monticello, delegates, and Warren B. Simpkins, of Benton, and George A. Williams, of Jasper, alternate delegates to the national Republican convention in Chicago. The election of Ade and Sills followed a warm fight, in which a sentiment for Taft was developed.

W. R. Wood, of Lafayette, was defeated for delegate because of pronounced anti-Chapman and anti-Taft tendencies. The convention endorsed President Roosevelt's administration, the candidacy of Vice President Fairbanks for president and Harry New for national chairman. The understanding is that the delegates will vote for Fairbanks in the



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| now                       |         |
| \$15.00 Candelabras       | 7.50    |
| now                       |         |
| \$6.00 Leather Purses     | 3.00    |
| now                       |         |
| \$5.00 Cracker Jars       | 2.50    |
| now                       |         |
| \$8.00 Toilet Sets        | 3.50    |
| now                       |         |
| \$10.00 Water Sets        | 6.75    |
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National convention as long as Fairbanks has any chance, and will then throw their support to Taft.

#### BLIND, BUT A GOOD MARKSMAN.

Sightless Pennsylvanian is Charged With Throwing a Stone.

York, Pa.—Ald. Jacob Stager was today called upon to decide whether, in his opinion, a blind man can throw a stone so accurately that he could hit his enemy on the head and do the damage that has been done to Fred

W. Gestewitz of Springfield township. Gestewitz had brought charges against John and Elizabeth Hartman, neighbors, charging assault and battery and surety of the peace. It was solemnly averred that Hartman, although blind, was a better marksman than many a man who could see.

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## TARIFF REVISION

WILL BE INCLUDED IN REPUBLICAN NATIONAL PLATFORM.

Representative Payne, of New York, Leader of House, Says So in Speech.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Tariff revision and the president's recent special message to congress again were the main topic of discussion in the house.

A long speech by Payne, of New York, the majority leader, was considered important because of his assurances that the tariff revision plank would be incorporated in the Republican national platform this year. He devoted some attention to Bryan, whom he credited with going about the country accusing President Roosevelt of grand and petty larceny in purloining his ideas.

Other speakers were Thomas, of North Carolina; Cox, of Indiana; Hardy, of Texas, and Nelson, of Wisconsin.

Representative O'Connell, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill today to amend the interstate commerce law. The bill provides:

"That nothing contained in the act shall be so understood or construed as to apply to trade unions or any labor organizations formed or organized for the purpose of regulating wages, hours of labor or other conditions under which labor is to be performed."

In explaining his bill O'Connell said:

"If enacted this bill will overcome objections raised by the supreme court in its recent decision declaring the terms of the Sherman anti-trust act apply to labor unions, thereby making unions liable for damages. I believe my bill will except all labor unions and I think the amendment, in view of the president's recent message, should be adopted."

## SHE HAD PISTOL

WOMAN DEMANDS FREE TRANSPORTATION TO CAIRO.

Deputy Sheriff Hume Oglvie Disarms Her and She Is Given Money.

With a pistol in her pocket an unknown woman visited the city hall yesterday afternoon after 4 o'clock, and wanted a ticket to Cairo and return to see her son, who she said was ill. She visited Chief Collins' office first, and inquired for the pass, but the chief told her she could not get it, as the mayor was not in his office. The visitor did not take the refusal with politeness. She remarked that she would have the pass or know why, and asserted she was entitled to the transportation. She stepped out of the door into the hall where Deputy Sheriff Hume Oglvie was standing. He was informed by a small boy that the woman carried a pistol in a pocket of the long black cloak that she wore. The deputy sheriff took a peep at her pocket and there the gun was bulging out. From her tone of voice the sheriff thought something might happen and he drew the weapon from the woman's pocket before she could offer resistance.

The gun was taken into the police headquarters and locked in the vault by Captain Harlan. The woman told the chief that she had the pistol to sell and use the money to purchase food, but for fear the woman might shoot some one the weapon was kept under lock and key. She was given money.

During the excitement no one inquired the woman's name. She was of neat appearance, and wore a long black cloak. Vice Mayor Ed D. Hannan was not in the mayor's office at the time, and says he is glad he was not in her path.

## HIDING IN CONSULATES.

Are Leaders of Late Uprising in Hayti Demands Their Surrender.

Washington, Feb. 6.—According to cable advices received by the state department from Hayti no less than 250 participants in the late uprising are now in "asylums" in the foreign consulates at Gonaves.

Only four of the refugees, however, are in the American vice consulate. General Firmin, leader of the revolution, is located in the French consulate office. The Haytian government has demanded the immediate surrender of the refugees, but it is not probable that they will be turned over except under a guarantee that they shall receive a fair trial or safe conduct.

## MRS. WM. THAW DECIDES TO DEFER PROCEEDINGS.

New York, Feb. 6.—Mrs. William Thaw today called off O'Reilly and Peabody, who were prepared to begin habeas corpus proceedings to secure Thaw's release. Unless the state board of lunacy acts on Evelyn's appeal, which is already made, Thaw will be allowed to remain at Matteawan until Littleton returns, which will be about the last of March.

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## Our Own Importation of Laces

Ours is the finest showing of Laces. Our importations consists of the best Europe affords. We buy in greater quantities than other stores and consequently we get a lower price than they.

Venise and net top laces, Chantilly and Guipure, Valenciennes and Mechlin, Irish Crochet, Chumy and Torchorn. Princess and Filet Laces, Cotton and silk Brussels nets, Filet nets, Tosca and Chantilly Allovers.

## Special Bargain Offerings and the Showing of New Spring Goods

Have you profited yet? Are you "keeping up with the procession" of wide-awake shoppers, and getting your share of the unmatched values we offer? Here are special values for Friday and Saturday which will be of interest to every woman. Look them over carefully, then come down and take advantage of them. Incidentally you will find on display here the advance spring styles in all departments. Get in line, always come to the GUTHRIE Store.

## Undermuslins Sharply Underpriced

You'll find displayed in our east window a few of the attractive Muslin Underwear offerings Friday and Saturday. Read on to your profit.

## Dainty Gowns

Beautiful quality lace timed gowns, regularly \$1.00; special **75c**  
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Extra good quality Gowns, made of English long cloth, beautifully trimmed, regularly \$1.50, special price **\$1.25**

Finest quality imported Nainsook Gowns, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery, regularly \$2.50; special price **\$1.75**

## Corset Covers

Lace or embroidery, trimmed Corset Covers, regular 35c quality, special price **24c**

\$1.00 Corset Covers, made of French Nainsook, trimmed with either embroidery or lace, special price **75c**

75c Corset Covers, extra good quality, special Friday and Saturday price **49c**

Extra fine quality imported Corset Covers, regularly \$1.25, special price **98c**

## Drawers

Extra good quality lace or embroidery trimmed Drawers, regularly 35c; special **24c**

Regular 45c Drawers, extra good value at that price, Friday and Saturday special at **35c**

\$1.00 and 75c Long Cloth and French Nainsook Drawers, lace or embroidery trimmed, Friday and Saturday special **49c**

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Half hundred styles and designs in fine Muslin Skirts, every number is reduced for Friday and Saturday selling; the prices range from **75c to \$5.00**

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We are showing Embroideries which other stores ordinarily ask 12 1/2c and 15c for, per yard **10c**

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Many of the items quoted below cannot be bought at wholesale at the prices we are offering them at for Friday and Saturday.

Boarding houses and hotels are especially invited to look into this most unusual opportunity, whether they are in need of linens or not. If you can't come write or phone.

30 cent Red Figured Table Linen **29c**

30c Red Figured Table Linens **24c**

50c Red Figured Table Linen **39c**

35c White Table Linen, extra fine **24c**

40c White Table Linen, good quality **29c**

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| January—1908. |                |
|---------------|----------------|
| 1.....\$891   | 17.....\$765   |
| 2.....\$888   | 18.....\$768   |
| 3.....\$891   | 19.....\$778   |
| 4.....\$894   | 20.....\$781   |
| 5.....\$899   | 21.....\$778   |
| 6.....\$900   | 22.....\$825   |
| 7.....\$790   | 23.....\$870   |
| 8.....\$796   | 24.....\$874   |
| 9.....\$805   | 25.....\$864   |
| 10.....\$808  | 26.....\$871   |
| 11.....\$796  | 27.....\$873   |
| 12.....\$788  | 28.....\$813   |
| 13.....\$796  | 29.....\$822   |
| 14.....\$766  | 30.....\$822   |
| 15.....\$766  | 31.....\$822   |
| Total         | .....\$103,390 |

Average for January, 1908.....\$829

Personally appeared before me, this February 3d, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of January, 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. My commission expires January 10th, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,  
Notary Public.

## Daily Thought.

"Live day by day."

Foraker will keep up the fight, is the encouraging daily bulletin from Ohio, and yet we suspect that Foraker really expects the fight to keep him up.

## Michigan goes for Taft.

King Alfonso, of Spain, should never go out walking again without his crown.

Nothing would become that Pennsylvania state capitol more than a statue of Quay, and nothing becomes the memory of Quay more than the capitol.

Toledo ice dealers, who fought a six months' workhouse sentence through the courts, won and they will go to jail instead of the workhouse.

Bryan and Taft will fight it out. There is practically no issue between the Democratic and Republican parties under the prevailing state of affairs and the campaign of 1908 will be simply a question of rival personalities. This statement was made by Thomas Taggart, chairman of the Democratic national committee.

If it is going to be a campaign of personalities, let us run Ben Tillman and J. B. Foraker.

During the last six years the Pennsylvania railroad, west of Pittsburgh, has abolished 159 grade crossings, and east of Pittsburgh during the same period 568 grade crossings have been abolished. This work appears to be more or less voluntary on the part of the company, which figures, perhaps, that it can save the cost of every crossing in the personal injury damage suits avoided. Grade crossings are an abomination that should not be tolerated by authorities of city or county. The extra expense of going over or under a public highway will not deter a single railroad extension, and one human life is worth more than a railroad—that is if we reckon other people's lives at the same valuation we place on our own.

IMPORTANCE OF OUR RIVERS.  
Fifty-four locks at a cost of \$63,731,488 would be necessary to afford a nine-foot, year-around stage in the Ohio river from Pittsburgh to Cairo, and the annual cost of maintaining the locks would be \$810,000, to say nothing of the pools to be dredged. This is the estimate made by the government experts, who investigated the situation, and they report in favor of it from commercial reasons. In the report, the commission said:

"Whether or not the transportation of the higher grades of freight was taken entirely from the river depended upon the frequency and duration of its navigable stages. For instance, on the Ohio river such transportation as shown by the packet trade, is continued with fair remuneration from Cairo to Evansville, Evansville to Louisville and Louisville to Cincinnati, in so far as commerce that originates on the river and designed for river points is concerned.

"There seems to be no proof that the proportional decrease in the use of streams for general transportation is due to any other cause than the unreliability of such streams for such purpose in their unimproved condition.

Unreliability of river transportation has prevented the proper development of wharves, loading and unloading devices and the larger shipments of finished products have been prepared for shipping only by rail, adding to the disadvantages that the intermittent river transportation is forced to bear.

"There seems to be a misconception as to the time required to deliver goods by river in comparison with that required by rail. It can safely be stated that under present conditions when a navigable stage can be relied upon shipments of less than carload lots are generally delivered by river in less time than similar shipments are made by rail."

The establishment of year-around navigation in the Ohio, followed by the similar improvement of Tennessee and Cumberland river conditions, is to be desired in Paducah more than any other waterway improvement project. Chicago and St. Louis are working for the great deep waterway from the lakes to the gulf, a project that is worthy, but will cost millions and millions and require years of patient toil. The Ohio tonnage today is the heaviest of any of the rivers. The Ohio valley commerce is the most important, and the territory exhibits the greatest possibilities of development, while the country back of Paducah on the tributary rivers is dependent to a great extent on water transportation, and Paducah loses money every year the improvements are postponed.

We are for the lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterway; but we are for the Ohio, Tennessee and Cumberland river development first, and decline to be led from the active support of this work, by staggering statistics of the Mississippi scheme.

## DYCUSBURG.

Dycusburg, says the Louisville Times, made its appearance on the map at an early hour on the morning of February 4, 1908. Before twenty-four hours had passed the name, if not the fame, of Dycusburg had been carried by the gossiping wires from Portland, Me., to Portland, Ore., from Hell-for-Sartin to Podunk.

And for this undreamed-of publicity Dycusburg has to thank a volunteer organization of some seventy-five gentlemen who thought nothing of the hardship of a night ride of fifty miles in order to give to Dycusburg a place of prominence in the public eye.

Great undertakings cannot be accomplished without sacrifice, and the sacrifice was not all on the part of the riders. A large proportion of the dwellers in Dycusburg, two in number, offered their bare backs to the contact of thorned switches, a tobacco factory was sacrificed to the fire god, and every home in the hamlet now bears the marks of the hurtling bullet which sang the hymn of Dycusburg's introduction to the outer world. And Dycusburg paid the freight. There was nothing else for Dycusburg to do.

Incidentally, though of some consequence, Kentucky is again advertised far and near as a state in which the laws are impotent and life and property the plaything of those who enjoy such pastime. The members of the tobacco growers' pool are no whit nearer the sale of so much as one additional pound of tobacco, and there is at large and unpunished in western Kentucky another band of men prepared at first opportunity to engage in organized arson and assassination.

Kentucky is paying a round price for its tobacco.

## THE INTERNATIONALS.

The regicide in Portugal has attracted attention once more to the anarchists, and Chicago police are talking of expelling the "reds" from that city. Most people think of anarchists as long-haired terrorists, who throw bombs at everybody, who represent the restraint of law. This is true of the class most heard of; but if the anarchist societies consisted only of such ignorant brutes, they would be quickly exterminated. It is because the theory of anarchy contains a germ of truth, and "theoretical" anarchists number among them men of learning and refinement, who teach its doctrines, that the societies exist, and possibly grow. A per cent of immigrants from Europe, that would alarm the people of this country, if they just knew it, are "theoretical" anarchists—"internationalists" is a more pleasing name to them.

Law is a restriction of personal rights. Men in authority are selfish. Law works injustice. Hence, opposition to law is justified. The individual soul is more important than nations. Hence, the anarchists are "international," acknowledging no allegiance to any government, that would make them war on their fellowmen. They are part of the great social unrest; part of the protest against the law of the jungle; part of the condition that must exist until all moral questions are settled and settled right. Anarchy is "soured" Christianity, like a lot of other quips and quarks of the human effort to grasp the doctrine of universal harmony.

Because social order, as man has made it, is not perfect, they would destroy it and restore original chaos. Anarchists see something wrong and they fight it. Their mistake is in not finding something right and fighting for it. It would require the addition only of a pinch of hunger and an insult to make most of us discover something sympathetic with our mood in the creed of the "internationalists."

Commend us to the conservative newspaper. There is only one Democratic paper in Kentucky we know of, that has no opinion on the senatorial situation.

## The Spoilers.

By REX E. BEACH.

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(Continued from last issue.)

## CHAPTER XIV.

"MY dear Helen, don't you realize that my official position carries with it a certain social obligation which it is our duty to discharge?"

"I suppose so, Uncle Arthur; but I would much rather stay at home."

"Tut, tut! Go and have a good time. Dancing doesn't appeal to me any more. I left that sort of thing back home. Now, if you would only come along!"

"No; I'm too busy. I must work tonight, and I'm not in a mood for such things, anyhow."

"You're not well," his niece said. "I have noticed it for weeks. Is it hard work or are you truly ill? You're nervous; you don't eat; you're growing positively gaunt. Why, you're getting wrinkles like an old man!"

She rose from her seat at the breakfast table and went to him, smoothing his silvered head with affection. He took her cool hand and pressed it to his cheek, while the worry that haunted him habitually of late gave way to a smile.

"It's work, little girl—hard and thankless work, that's all. This country is intended for young men, and I'm too far along." His eyes grew grave again, and he squeezed her fingers nervously as though at the thought. "It's a terrible country this. I—I wish we had never seen it."

"Don't say that," Helen cried spiritedly. "Why, it's glorious. Think of the honor. You're a United States judge and the first one to come here. You're making history; you're building a state; people will read about you!"

She stooped and kissed him, but he seemed to flinch beneath her caress. "Of course I'll go if you think I'd better," she said, "though I'm not fond of Alaskan society. Some of the women are nice, but the others—" She shrugged her dainty shoulders. "They talk scandal all the time. One would think that a great, clean, fresh, vigorous country like this would broaden the women as it broadens the men—but it doesn't."

"I'll tell McNamara to call for you at 9 o'clock," said the judge as he arose. So, later in the day, she prepared her long unused finery to such good purpose that when her escort called for her that evening he believed her the loveliest of women.

Upon their arrival at the hotel he regarded her with a fresh access of pride, for the function proved to bear little resemblance to a mining camp party. The women wore handsome gowns, and every man was in evening dress. The wide hall ran the length of the hotel and was flanked by boxes, while its floor was like polished glass and its walls effectively decorated.

"Oh, how lovely!" exclaimed Helen as she first caught sight of it. "It's just like home."

"I've seen quick rising cities before," he said, "but nothing like this. Still, if these northerners can build a railroad in a month and a city in a summer why shouldn't they have symphony orchestras and Louis Quinze ballrooms?"

"I know you're a splendid dancer," she said.

"You shall be my judge and jury. I'll sign this card as often as I dare without the certainty of violence at the hands of these young men, and the rest of the time I'll smoke in the lobby. I don't care to dance with any one but you."

After the first waltz he left her surrounded by partners and made his way out of the ballroom. This was his first relaxation since landing in the north.

It was well not to become a dull boy, he mused, and as he chewed his cigar he pictured, with an odd thrill, quite unusual with him, that slender, gray-eyed girl, with her coiled mass of hair, her ivory shoulders and merry smile. He saw her float past to the measure of a two-step and caught himself repressing the thought of another man's enjoyment of the girl's charms even for an instant.

"Hold on, Alec," he muttered. "You're too old a bird to lose your head." However, he was waiting for her before the time for their next dance. She seemed to have lost a part of her gaiety.

"What's the matter? Aren't you enjoying yourself?"

"Oh, yes," she returned brightly. "I'm having a delightful time."

When he came for his third dance she was more distant than ever. As he led her, to a seat they passed a group of women, among whom were Mrs. Chapman and others whom he knew to be wives of men prominent in the town. He had seen some of them at tea in Judge Stillman's house and therefore was astonished when they returned his greeting, but ignored Helen. She shrank slightly, and he realized that there was something wrong. He could not guess what. Affairs of men he could cope with, but the subtleties of women were out of his realm.

"What are those people? Have they offended you?"

"I don't know what it is. I have spoken to them, but they cut me."

"Cut you?" he exclaimed.

"Yes." Her voice trembled, but she held her head high. "It seems as though all the women in Nome were here and in league to ignore me. It dazes me. I do not understand."

"Has anybody said anything to you?" he inquired fiercely. "Any man, I mean?"

"No, no! The men are kind. It's the women."

"Come, we'll go home."

"Indeed, we will not," she said proudly. "I shall stay and face it out. I have done nothing to run away from, and I intend to find out what is the matter."

When he had surrendered her, at the beginning of the next dance, McNamara sought for some acquaintance whom he might question. Most of the men in Nome either hated or feared him, but he espied one that he thought suited his purpose and led him into a corner.

"I want you to answer a question. No beating about the bush. Understand? I'm blunt, and I want you to be."

"All right."

"Your wife has been entertained at Miss Chester's house. I've seen her there. Tonight she refuses to speak to the girl. She cut her dead, and I want to know what it's about."

"How should I know?"

"If you don't know, I'll ask you to find out."

At which the shock he had amusedly, at which McNamara flared up.

"I say you will, and you'll make your wife apologize before she leaves this hall, too, or you'll answer to me, man to man. I won't stand to have a girl like Miss Chester cold-decked by a bunch of mining camp swells, and that goes as it lies." In his excitement McNamara reverted to his western idiom.

The other did not reply at once, for it was embarrassing to deal with a person who disregards the conventions utterly, and at the same time has the inclination and force to compel obedience. The boss' reputation had gone abroad.

"Well—er—I know about it in a general way, but of course I don't go much on such things. You'd better let it drop."

"Go on."

"There has been a lot of talk among the ladies about—well, er—the fact is, it's that young Glenister. Mrs. Chapman had the next statement to them—er—him—I should say—on the way up from the States, and she saw things. Now, as far as I'm concerned, a girl can do as she pleases, but Mrs. Chapman has her own ideas of propriety. From what my wife could learn, there's some truth in the story, too, so you can't blame her."

With a word McNamara could have explained the gossip and made this man put his wife right, forcing through her an elucidation of the silly affair in such a way as to spare Helen's feelings and cover the busy-tongued magpies with confusion. Yet he hesitated. It is a wise skipper who trims his sails to every breeze. He thanked his informant and left him. Entering the lobby, he saw the girl hurrying toward him.

"Take me away, quick! I want to go home."

"You've changed your mind?"

(Continued in next issue.)

## YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT

Every dose makes you feel better. Lax-Po keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

## FISH! FISH!

Friday  
At The Ideal Market  
512 Broadway  
Columbia Building.

## GEORGE SHAW, COLORED, EXONERATED IN COURT.

As the result of a wrangle with Mattie Belle Thomas, a negro woman, who, it is said, was drunk, George Shaw, colored, proprietor of a restaurant at Ninth street and Kentucky avenue, was charged with malicious cutting, but after the evidence was heard Shaw was dismissed of the charge. It is said that Mattie went to the restaurant and was raising a disturbance, and Shaw put her out, when a tussle ensued. Mattie swore that Shaw used a meat cleaver on her head, which was tied up, but all of the witnesses failed to corroborate her statement. The woman had a knife in her hand, and Shaw explained that she cut her head on the corner of the counter. As the woman left the restaurant she threw a brick at Shaw as a farewell message.

## Rudy's

219-223 Broadway.

The Clearance Sale in Our

## Carpet and Drapery Section

Will Continue all this Week

If you are unable to come down earlier you still have an unbounded selection to choose from.

## Lace Curtains

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| All our \$1.25 and \$1.50 Curtains         | \$1.00  |
| All our \$2.00 and \$2.50 Curtains         | \$1.50  |
| All our \$3.00 and \$3.50 Curtains         | \$2.50  |
| All our \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Curtains | \$3.85  |
| All our \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50 Curtains | \$5.00  |
| All our \$8.50, \$10 and \$11 Curtains     | \$8.00  |
| All our \$12.00 and \$15.00 Curtains       | \$10.00 |
| All our \$22.50 Curtains                   | \$16.50 |

## Portiers

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| All our \$2.50 and \$3.00 Portiers                | \$1.75 |
| All our \$4.50 and \$4.00 Portiers                | \$2.75 |
| All our \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 Portiers        | \$3.95 |
| All our \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00 Portiers        | \$5.65 |
| All our \$9, \$10 and \$12 Portiers               | \$7.85 |
| All our \$13.50 Portiers                          | \$9.95 |
| All our \$4.50 silk stripe and snowflake Curtains | \$2.50 |

## Rugs Greatly Reduced

|  |         |
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| Brussels Rugs, 9x12 feet, regular price \$13.50, for             | \$ 9.50 |
| Brussels Rugs, 9x12 feet, regular price \$15.00, for             | 11.50   |
| Velvet Rugs, 9x12 feet, regular price \$22.50, for               | 14.75   |
| Axminster Rugs, 9x12 feet, regular price \$22.50, for            | 17.50   |
| Axminster Rugs, 9x12 feet, regular price \$25.00, for            | 19.50   |
| Axminster Rugs, 10 1/2 x 13 1/2 feet, regular price \$32.50, for | 26.00   |
| Axminster Rugs, 12x15 feet, regular price \$42.00, for           | 32.50   |
| Axminster Rugs, 3x6 feet, regular price \$3.50 and \$4, for      | 2.98    |
| Axminster Rugs, 27x60 inches, regular price \$2.50 and \$3, for  | 1.98    |

## Carpets

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|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Axminster Carpets, worth \$1.65, for | \$1.25 |
| Velvet Carpets, worth \$1.25, for    | \$1.00 |
| Brussels Carpets, worth 95c, for     | 80c    |
| Brussels Carpets, worth 85c, for     | 70c    |
| Brussels Carpets, worth 75c, for     | 60c    |

Making, laying and lining free.

## Linoleum and Oil Cloth

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| Inlaid Linoleum, first grade, worth \$1.35, at       | \$1.10 |
| Inlaid Linoleum, first grade granite, worth \$1, for | 80c    |
| Printed Linoleum, D grade, worth 65c, for            | 50c    |
| Printed Linoleum, E grade, worth 50c, for            | 40c    |
| Oil Cloth, 30c grade, for                            | 22c    |
| Oil Cloth, 35c grade, for                            | 25c    |

## Foot Stools

|                            |     |
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| 65c, 75c and 85c kinds for | 40c |
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## Straw Matting

|                        |     |
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| 30c and 35c grades for | 25c |
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## Rope Portiers

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| \$1.50 grade for | \$1.00 |
| \$2.50 grade for | \$1.50 |
| \$4.50 grade for | \$3.00 |
| \$5.00 grade for | \$3.50 |

## In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of Scott Hardware company, a bankrupt.

On this 5th day of February, A. D. 1908, on considering the petition of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge, filed on the 24th day of January, A. D. 1908, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1908, before said court at Louisville, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable and that notice thereof be published one time in The Paducah Daily Sun, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Walter Evans, judge of said court, and the seal thereof, at Louisville, in said district, on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1908.

A. G. RONALD, Clerk.  
By Henry F. Cassin, D. C.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors. In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of Southern Peanut company, bankrupt. To the creditors of Southern Peanut company of Paducah, in the county of McCracken and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby

given that on the 27th day of January, A. D. 1908, the said Southern Peanut company was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1908, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.

EMMETT W. BAGBY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Paducah, Ky., Feb. 6, 1908.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

Palmer—W. B. Stewart, St. Louis; J. L. Mallin, Chicago; B. A. Evans, Louisville; A. M. Mullens, Nashville; L. A. McCormack, Memphis; C. H. Jackson, Louisville; R. C. Dick, St. Louis; J. F. Kempton, Atlanta; E. K. Dewey, Nashville; R. B. McFarland, Buffalo.

Belyedere—Frank L. Bartlett, St. Louis; L. A. Gibb, Chicago; J. A. Anderson, St. Louis; F. E. Doolin, Jopka; W. S. Hagerman, Louisville; B. W. Ashman, Kuttawa; William M. Rice, Dawson Springs; J. T. Miles, Mayfield; W. M. Elrod, Mt. Vernon; J. E. Gist, Milwaukee.

New Richmond—J. A. Edwards, Murray; Rud. Stone, Marion; Ed. Baynes, Metropolis; G. K. Gibbs, Freeman; Henry Pelly, Parkersburg;

J. L. Yoes, Shelbyville; D. W. Cheek, St. Francis; F. E. Doolin, Coble; J. R. Walton, Smithland; Capt. A. J. Powell, Cincinnati.

St. Nicholas—L. D. Claghton, Chicago; Charles Roeder, Evansville; H. Guilman, Corydon; A. P. Vickers, New Liberty; S. M. Haskins, Muscatine; Dick Ford, Henson; R. R. Ross, Troy; J. A. Ross, Troy; B. B. Tyree, Golo.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors. In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of Carl M. Poat, Bankrupt. To the creditors of Carl M. Poat, of Paducah, in the county of McCracken and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1908, the said Carl M. Poat was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1908, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.

EMMETT W. BAGBY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Paducah, Ky., Feb. 6, 1908.

Stella—Did Cholly propose? Bella—Yes, but so far the poor fellow really has nothing but a pair of auto goggles.—New York Sun.



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Biscuit, per pound **32c**

Everything in the Fancy Grocery Line at a Low Price  
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| Tomatoes per basket 65c      | Squash per dozen 60c    |
| String Beans per qt. 15c     | Bell Pepper, basket 75c |
| Carrots per bunch 5c         | Parsley, Southern, 5c   |
| Blue ribbon celery, doz. 75c | Cauliflower, head 20c   |

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## THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up The Sun office. Both phones 358, E. J. Paxton.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—Dr. Warner, veterinarian. Treatment of domestic animals. Both phones 131.

—Chinese sacred Lilies in bloom in 5-inch pots for 15c each. Extra choice violets. Brunson, 529 Broadway.

—We can give you the finest carriages in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.

—Rubber stamps made to order. Superior price markers, brass and aluminum checks of all kinds. Rubber stamp accessories. The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third street. Phone 358.

—Now is the time to use Standard Soot Destroyer and save buying so much coal. Ask your dealer for it.

—Beverly, of Graustark, has been added to our line of popular copyright novels. R. D. Clements & Co., 408 Broadway.

—Carriage work of all kinds. Painting, repairing, rubber tires, etc. Spring wagons made to order. We are offering special inducements for early orders. Sexton Sign Works. Phone 401.

—Blue Points! Blue Points! Fresh oysters, bulk or in shells. Stall 55, city market.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—Another fifty days in jail will have to be served by Mrs. Eliza Sweeney, who had a jag yesterday afternoon. She was arrested in the northern part of the city by Patrolmen Rogers and Doyle, where she was taking the city. This morning in court Judge Cross gave her fifty days in the county jail.

—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Puryear, 806 Broadway.

## Three Doses of DAY'S COLD CURE

In the afternoon, followed by a large glass of **HOT LEMONADE** at bed time will work wonders for the very worst attack of grip or bad cold. Day's Cold Cure is a scientific combination of quinine, ipecac and caraca, with other valuable remedies, put up in tablet form, at

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Fifth and Broadway. Opp. Palmer House.  
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## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Reception in Honor of Miss Sanders, of Tennessee.

Mrs. Mary B. Sherrill will receive tonight from 8 until 11 o'clock at her home, 129 Fountain avenue, introducing her house guest, Miss Margaret Sanders, of Lebanon, Tenn. A number of invitations have been issued and the reception will be a social event of prominence.

Informal Card Party to the Misses Thomas.

Miss Philippa Hughes was the hostess of a charmingly informal little card party yesterday afternoon at her home, 613 Broadway, in honor of Miss Isabelle Thomas and Miss Rosina Thomas, of Athens, Ga., the attractive guests of Mrs. Will Bradshaw, Jr. The game prize was captured by Miss Faith Langstaff. The visitor's prize went to Miss Isabelle Thomas. A prettily appointed course luncheon followed the game. There were four tables of guests present.

Tacky Party at Home of Miss Foster.

Miss Allie D. Foster will entertain with a "tacky" party on Friday evening at her home on South Fifth. The most unique costume worn by girl and boy will be given a prize.

D. A. R. Chapter.

Paducah chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. L. S. DuBois on Fountain avenue. It will be a Washington meeting as it is the birthmonth of George Washington.

A Quiet Wedding.

Miss Louise Harmon and Mr. B. E. Foster were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the court house by Judge Lightfoot. Only the immediate families of the young people were present. Mr. Foster is a street car motorman. They will reside at 432 South Eighth street.

Informal Evening.

Several couples spent a pleasant evening on Wednesday at the home of Miss S. L. Jackson, on Trimble street. Fitch and other games were enjoyed. Those present were: Miss Bessie Miller and Mr. Clarence Carey; Miss Nola Hall and Mr. Ado Joiner; Miss Jessie Stanley and Mr. John Beckelheimer; Miss Dimple McKinney and Mr. Paul Joiner; Miss May Joiner and Mr. Richard Berry; Miss S. L. Jackson and Mr. Roscoe Weiss. Fruits were served.

Mayor James P. Smith and Mr. Gus Thompson will go to New York as soon after Mayor Smith's return from Frankfort as the cargo allows.

Mrs. J. W. Boren and daughter, Miss Odah Boren, of 607 South Fourth street, are seriously ill of the grip.

Superintendent A. H. Egan left for Louisville today after spending a week in Paducah looking after business for the Illinois Central.

Mr. W. E. Rawls left today for Cincinnati on business.

Mr. C. G. Nuckols returned from a business trip to Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, of 329 South Fourth street, are expecting Mr. and Mrs. James M. Steel, of Kansas, as visitors.

Mrs. R. R. Winston, 1122 Jefferson street, is ill at her home.

Dr. S. Z. Holland, of Grahamville, is slightly improved today from his attack of the grip.

Mr. Charles Unsell, of Woodville, was visiting in Grahamville today.

Roscoe Reed has returned home from Cincinnati.

Mr. Stanley S. Miller returned to



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| \$5.00 Suit cut to | \$4.00 |
| \$4.00 Suit cut to | \$3.00 |
| \$3.00 Suit cut to | \$2.40 |
| \$2.00 Suit cut to | \$1.60 |

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Baton Rouge today after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradshaw, of Monroe street.

Mrs. Dabney S. Taylor and little daughter, Jessie, of Louisville, are visiting Mrs. Frank L. Murray and Miss Anne Bradshaw, of Monroe street.

Mr. Hiram Tyree has gone to Mayfield to attend the bedside of his son-in-law, Mr. Riley Allen.

Captain and Mrs. James Koger, of North Seventh street, will leave Monday for Cuba, to remain during the winter for the benefit of Mrs. Koger's health.

Mrs. William Eades and children, of Jefferson street, have returned from a visit in Mayfield.

Miss Agnes Carney has returned to Mayfield, after a visit to friends in the city.

Mr. Charles Q. C. Leigh returned to Chicago today, after spending a week in the city on business.

Mr. Zach Bryant has gone to Frankfort on a short visit.

Guy Holland, who is connected with the Paducah office of the Southern Express company, left this morning for his home at Murray for a few days recreation. He has been suffering severely several days with a carbuncle on his neck.

Attorney A. L. Harper returned this morning from a trip to Mayfield, where he went to look after some cases pending in the courts.

C. H. Wilson has gone to Sheffield, Ala., to visit.

Mr. John M. Allen, of Guthrie, organizer for the Tobacco Growers' association, left this morning for Murray.

Tom Coburn arrived home from Cairo last night after a few days' visit with Fred Halliday.

Mrs. Meyer Lovitch has returned from Cincinnati, O., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenberg. Mrs. Lovitch was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Bettie Rosenberg, who will be Mrs. Lovitch's guest.

Mrs. M. Herman, of Muncie, Ind., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Welle, of North Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hecht, of St. Louis, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Welle, of North Eighth street.

Mrs. J. Wheeler Campbell, of Paducah, who has been the guest of Mrs. Laban Phelps, is now with Senator Campbell at Frankfort—Louisville Times.

Mr. A. T. Hill, of Heath, visited friends and relatives in Grahamville today.

Miss Kate Council, of Mayfield, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lillian Adcock, of Lone Oak, came to Paducah this morning and will return to Mayfield tomorrow.

Attorneys W. V. Eaton, W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., J. C. Flournoy and J. D. Macquett left last night for Louisville to attend federal court, several important suits, in which the Paducah attorneys are interested, being down for hearing today.

## NO CANDIDATE TIPPED AS FOURTH WARD TRUSTEE.

Credentials of Mr. Arthur Murray as member of the school board to succeed Mr. I. O. Walker, resigned, were mailed today by Secretary Kelly. Mr. Murray has consented to serve on the board. No tips have been given out as to the successor of Trustee C. G. Warner, of the Fourth ward, who resigned Tuesday night. It is probable that several names will be offered at the next regular meeting of the board.

## BROTHERS OPPOSE MATCH; WEDDING IS DEFERRED.

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 6.—Miss Hattie Brooks, a prominent church worker and housewife, was to have married the Rev. W. G. Pike, of Marionville, last night. The church was decorated, but within an hour of the wedding the marriage was indefinitely postponed, because of the opposition of her brothers, one living here and the other in Memphis, who were practically disinherited by the father, who left his estate to the daughter.

## HOPPE AND SCHAEFER.

Will Meet in 18.1 Inch Balk Line for Billiard Championship.  
New York, Feb. 6.—Jacob Schaefer has accepted Willie Hoppe's challenge for a match at 18.1 inch balk line billiards for the championship title and Schaefer has deposited \$250 to bind the match. The place for the playing of the match has not been announced, but it will probably be Chicago, Schaefer's home town.

## COUNTY CORONER EAKER IS RECOVERING AGAIN.

County Coroner Frank Eaker is able to be up at his home again, after falling at the county jail Tuesday and slightly injuring his leg, which was broken several weeks ago in a runaway. The coroner came down town Tuesday to attend the meeting of the fiscal court, and while going up the steps of the jail slipped and fell. At the time it was feared he had seriously injured his leg, but fortunately the hurt proved trivial.

Commercial Club Election.  
Notice is hereby given to all members of the Paducah Commercial club that the annual election of the board of directors, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held Tuesday evening, February 11, at 8 o'clock sharp, at the Commercial club headquarters, Sixth and Broadway. All members are urged to attend. H. C. Rhodes, president; S. A. Fowler, secretary.

## NEWS OF COURTS

Suit has been filed in circuit court by C. Ollie Cooper against the Paducah Traction company for \$2,000 for damages alleged to have been sustained by being ejected from a street car December 24, 1907.

Edgar Jones filed suit against De Witt C. Roberts for \$800, alleged to be due on a note executed in Nashville, Tenn.

Additional reasons in support of a motion for a new trial have been filed by the defendant in the case of J. R. Ferguson against the Ferguson, Palmer Mill company. Ferguson was given a judgment for \$1,000 on trial of the case at this term of court. The suit was to recover for injuries sustained by a heavy slab falling from a wood chute at the defendant's mill and striking Mr. Ferguson, breaking his leg and otherwise injuring him.

## Deeds Filed.

R. H. Willingham to E. D. Overstreet, two lots on Labelle avenue in West End Addition, \$2,000.

J. K. Bondurant to J. C. Martin, S. B. Mitchell and R. B. Baker, trustees for Trimble street Methodist church, lot on Fountain avenue, \$2,000.

## In Police Court.

Another lengthy docket greeted Judge Cross in police court this morning. Many of the cases were ones that have been continued. The docket was: Drunk—D. S. Carr, continued until tomorrow; Eliza Sweeney, 50 days in county jail. Breach of the peace—Sam Schofield, \$50 and costs; Will Atherton, continued until tomorrow.

Maleficus cutting—George Shaw, colored, dismissed; Henry Robertson, alias "Raggy Front," colored, continued until Saturday. Petty larceny—Luther Chambers, colored, dismissed. Embezzlement—H. E. Hubbard, waived examination and bond fixed at \$400. Housebreaking—Henry Gholson, colored, examination waived and bond fixed at \$300.

## Judgment Affirmed.

The court of appeals has affirmed the judgment of the lower court in giving Dr. I. B. Howell a judgment against the Aetna Insurance company for \$265 on a health policy. Dr. Howell was operated upon for appendicitis, while the policy was in force, but the company refused payment on the ground that he had failed to make correct answers to questions in making the application.

## HENRY GHOLSON WAIVES EXAMINATION IN COURT.

Henry Gholson, colored, the overcoat thief, waived examination this morning on the charge of housebreaking. In his rounds Gholson did not overlook Hutchinson's boarding house, and took a supply of hats from the hall. He was held over yesterday on the charge of stealing an overcoat from F. R. Fitzpatrick.

## Came Up O. K.

Ice that had been weakened by the warm weather gave way under Mr. Henry Rotgering, of the Cairo road, while skating on a gravel pit. Mr. Rotgering had a cold plunge to the bottom of the pit, but came up quickly and arose in the hole made when he sank. As he rose his face was cut badly by the sharp ice and Dr. W. C. Rubanks was called to dress the injuries.

## Men's and Young Men's

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### Item No. 1

Choice of over 400 pairs of men's cheviot, cassimere and striped worsted Trousers—Pants that sold up to \$5.00. Your pick of the lot for

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Choice of over 500 pairs of men's and young men's striped worsted, cheviot and cassimere Trousers—Pants that sold up to \$7.50. Your pick of the lot for

**\$3.65**

### Item No. 3

Choice of over 275 pairs of men's and young men's fine imported silk and wool striped worsted Trousers—Pants that sold up to \$10.00. Your pick of the lot for

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These Articles:

Nickled mugs, pepper boxes, bake pans, stew pans, enameled sauce pans, enameled milk pans, 6 qt.; nickled poker, enameled wash pans, glass pitchers, toilet paper, enameled pie pans, dusters, drip coffee pots, coffee canisters, scrub brushes, clothes lines, oilers, waiters, 2 qt. granite bucket, bird cage hooks.

These Goods Usually Sell for 10c to 35c Each.

Nothing charged, no phone orders accepted.

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## WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rule applying to every one without exception.

FOR heating and stove wood ring, 437 1/2 P. Levin.

WANTED—To buy milk cow. Address A., care Sun office.

FURNISHED rooms for rent, 313 Madison. Old phone 2950.

BUY YOUR COAL OF C. M. Cagle. Best lump 12 cents. New phone 975.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished front rooms. 831 Jefferson.

WANTED—Position as housegirl. Address M., care Sun.

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, 724 South Sixth. Apply 810 Jefferson.

J. E. MORGAN horse shoeing general repairing, rubber tires, 408 South Third.

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, 1010 Tennessee street. Apply to Race Diddle.

FOR RUBBER stamps and supplies phone Paducah Printing and Book Binding Co.

WE WILL BE AT Glauber's stable Saturday, February 8, to buy mules. Layne & Leavell.

FOR RENT—Five room flat modern conveniences. 603 North Sixth. George Rawleigh.

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber college, St. Louis, Mo.

YOUR CLOTHES will always look like new if cleaned and pressed by James Duffy, South Ninth near Broadway. Phone 338-a.

FOR RENT—One nice furnished front room with all modern conveniences. Gentleman preferred. Inquire 713 Kentucky avenue.

WANTED—To borrow \$5,000 to \$7,500 for twelve months, on first-class bonds as security. Address X. Y. Z., care The Sun.

CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED—Experience unnecessary. \$100 per month and expenses. Peerless Cigar Co., Toledo, Ohio.

WE HAVE the finest heater, hickory and dry stove wood in the city. Wholesale and retail. Phone us your order. Old phone 478. Smith, Albritton & Co., near union depot.

FOR RENT—Small flat, modern conveniences, on Seventh between Kentucky avenue and Broadway. Apply to Mrs. Whitfield, Seventh and Kentucky avenue.

LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hair dressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in few weeks, mailed free. Moler College, St. Louis, Mo.

STOLEN OR ESTRAY—One black horse-mule, 15 hands high, left eye damaged. Return to T. M. Spencer, Woodville, and receive reward. For information call 1543-a, old phone.

LADY representative to appoint agents and look after our interest. Salary and commission. Permanent if work is satisfactory. We are reliable and old established corporation. F. O. Balch, Pres., Chicago.

WANTED—For U. S. army; Able-bodied unmarried men between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Men wanted for

service in Cuba and the Philippines. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, New Richmond House, Paducah, Ky.

## LOCAL OPTION BILL PASSED.

Ohio Senate Votes on Measure Making County Unit.

Columbus, O., Feb. 6.—The Rose county local option bill passed the senate last night by a vote of 24 to 13. The bill provides that the voters of any county can put all saloons out of business by casting a majority of votes.

The main objection to the bill was that the country people can regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors in cities and it is expected that many counties will be voted dry.

It is almost certain to pass the lower house and Governor Harris will sign the bill when it reaches his office.

## PAYNTER HAS BILL THAT WILL SETTLE TROUBLE.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Senator Paynter introduced a bill which is designed to make more definite the statute requiring state legislatures to ballot for United States senator on the second Tuesday after organization. It provides that when a legislature shall organize on Tuesday it shall on the following Tuesday proceed to elect a United States senator. In such states as Kentucky, where the legislature meets on Tuesday, there has been doubt as to the intent of the statute and consequently senators have been elected on two successive Tuesdays following organization in order to insure legality.

## SIR HARRY MACLEAN TO BE SET FREE AT ONCE.

Tangier, Feb. 6.—Sir Harry MacLean, who has been in the hands of Bandit Raisuli for seven months, is now within four hours' ride of Tangier and probably will be released tomorrow. The British government has finally succeeded in bringing negotiations with Raisuli to a close and in return for the release of MacLean will pay \$100,000 to Raisuli and guarantee him protection and immunity.

## \$80,000 Fire.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 6.—Five firemen were seriously injured by falling walls of the Alchuley block, which was destroyed by fire today. They were rescued from the ruins but will recover. The loss is \$80,000.

## Auditorium Rink

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## METHODIST

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Methodist preachers held their semi-monthly meeting Tuesday in the study of Broadway Methodist church, the Rev. J. W. Blackard presiding.

Brief reports were made by the Rev. R. W. Chiles, of the Union Rescue Mission; the Rev. T. J. Owen, of Reidland circuit; the Rev. W. J. Naylor, of Paducah circuit; the Rev. G. T. Sullivan, of Broadway; the Rev. H. B. Terry, of Third street, and the Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder. These reports were encouraging and indicate that these charges, as well as all the Paducah district, are making good progress. About fifty members were reported received this year by these pastors. No protracted services have been held, but plans are being made for revivals.

The discussion was led by the Rev. H. B. Terry, who read a paper on the subject, "Importance and Value of the Work of the Women in the Anti-Saloon League Movement in this City." All the brethren present made pointed remarks on the subject and agreed to keep up the agitation of the work of women, as a great co-operative power.

Tuesday, February 18, the Rev. G. T. Sullivan will lead the discussion of the subject, "Revivals—Its Conditions and Needs."

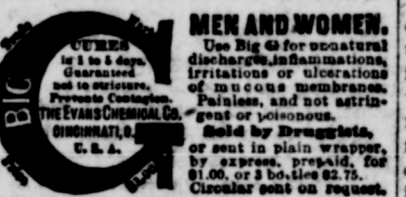
The Rev. W. J. Naylor, president of the Anti-Saloon League, announced that the league had secured the services of the Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder.

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of the Rev. W. A. Freeman, of Fulton, who will speak in the Sunday school room of the First Baptist church Friday night, February 7, at 7:30 p. m. on the subject, "Christian Citizenship."

## Mission Society.

The ladies of the Third street Methodist church have organized an auxiliary of the Woman's Home Mission society of the Memphis annual conference. They are enthusiastic in their work and have begun a forward movement in both connectional and local work. The following ladies were elected to fill the offices for the year: President, Mrs. Sue Farnsley; first vice-president, Mrs. Margaret Berger; second vice-president, Mrs. R. F. Fisher; third vice-president, Mrs. Clarence Ballowe; recording secretary, Mrs. H. B. Terry; treasurer, Mrs. Neal Luftenburg; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George Shepherd; agent "Our Homes," Mrs. Walter Stavelly; local treasurer, Mrs. F. H. Smedley; local committee, Mrs. Margaret Berger, chairman; Mrs. Martha Reeves, Miss Madie Myers, Mrs. Mollie Perkins and Mrs. Rhodes.

They will continue to meet the Monday after the first and third Sundays.

## Those Modern Flats.



"What! Seven biscuits a week for a place like this? Why, there ain't room to swing a cat here!"—Once a Week.

## SKILL IN FORWARD PASS.

Revised Rules Drawn to Eliminate Chance Element.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Walter H. Eckgrall, in the Chicago Tribune, says: "Although the joint football rules committee did not take as drastic action as many expected in their session in New York on Saturday, the changes which they did make in the playing rules will have far greater effect on the gridiron game next fall than a cursory perusal of the revisions would indicate. The forward pass is a permanent factor in football, according to the unanimous opinion of the rule makers, and it is the most prominent factor in the modern game every revision in the rules governing that play will produce considerable change in the game itself.

"The play as it now stands will give a weaker team a much better chance to win or make a good showing against stronger opponents than the former rules permitted. This has been the aim of the committee ever since the reform wave struck the game. These supposedly weak teams have nothing but commendation for the new game, as they say it gives them a chance, and this chance is an incentive to them to work and perfect a team and the strategic plays which the new rules afford.

"The changes will do away with many lucky passes."

"What is the best place in which to keep fresh milk in hot weather?" asked the teacher. "Please, teacher, in the cow," answered the small boy who had just returned from a country holiday.

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## STEAMING OF BEDS

IS BEING TRIED BY SOME OF THE GROWERS.

Caused by Scarcity of Brush in Some Localities—Old Method Is Preferred.

There is much interest among farmers in the experiments which have now been under way for the past season or two, of steaming their plant land instead of burning it with brush. The steaming is done for the same purpose as in the burning, i. e., the destroying of all seeds or insects which may be in the ground. Recourse to this method has almost been forced upon the farmers on account of the rapidly diminishing supply of firewood and brush. Every farmer will say that the burning of brush is the better plan, but all admit that the steaming is good enough to take its place under the circumstances.

In steaming a planted an ordinary traction engine is used. Tight wood on boxes about 8x10 feet and only a few inches deep are prepared. Leading into these is the steam pipe. These boxes are set upon the ground, which has first been plowed or spaded up to a considerable depth, and the steam turned in. This is continued for from twenty to thirty minutes, and in this time the steam destroys the foreign seeds and insects sufficiently for the purpose. It is believed that the experiments now under way will prove the solution of the difficulty which has been staring the farmers in the face for the past several years on account of the increasing scarcity of timber.

## THREE LINKS

BUILDING WILL BE READY FOR OCCUPANCY FEBRUARY 20.

Second Story Partitions Are Torn Out and Lodge Rooms Are Nearly Completed.

Work of converting the second story of the Three Links building at Fifth street and Kentucky avenue into lodge rooms to be used by the Odd Fellows and Woodmen of the World, is progressing rapidly. The walls dividing the building into school rooms have been taken out and two large spaces for lodge rooms are left on each side, the hall through the center being allowed to remain. The Odd Fellows expect to be ready to occupy their rooms by February 20, which is the time their lease on their present quarters at Fifth street and Broadway expires.

## A Green Grocer.



The Fair Customer—And what have you got in the shape of cucumbers today?

The Itinerant Green Grocer—Only bananas, ma'am.—London Sketch.

## TEN COMMANDMENTS

Issued to the Employees of the Fifth Avenue Bank For Their Good.

New York, Feb. 5.—Employees of the Fifth Avenue Bank were disturbed today by a report that a rule had been put into effect prohibiting them from entering any restaurant in which intoxicants are sold with meals.

Investigation, however, developed that the only truth in the report is that there is to be a stringent enforcement of the bank's rule against the use of intoxicants in public houses by its employees.

Here are the 10 commandments for the clerks of the Fifth Avenue Bank:

You must not drink any intoxicants with meals in public restaurants.  
You must not enter any saloon.  
You must not enter any gambling house.  
You must not enter any poolroom.  
You must not visit any race track.  
You must not enter any bucket shop.  
You must not speculate.  
You must not attend prize fights.  
You must not have vicious companions.  
You must not frequent Broadway resorts or become conspicuous where the great white lights blaze.

Tuberculosis is much less common among coal miners than among other classes of people. According to the United States census statistics, miners and quarrymen occupy third place in the scale of tuberculosis mortality, only bankers and farmers being more immune. Coal dust antagonizes tuberculosis when already present, and many physicians have treated the disease by inhalation of coal dust.—Indianapolis News.

Conduct is simply character vitalized.

## ONLY NECESSARY TO TREAT THE STOMACH

Claim of Central Figure in Recent Controversy is Novel.

The new theory advanced by L. T. Cooper relative to the human stomach has attracted such widespread attention that the public in cities visited by the young man has been joined by many physicians in a discussion of his beliefs and medicines. Mr. Cooper says that human health is dependent almost entirely upon the stomach. He says that no disease can be conquered without first alleviating all stomach disorders. He further says that most men and women of this generation are half-sick, owing to degenerate stomachs. And lastly, he claims that his New Discovery medicine will rejuvenate the human stomach in 90 days.

Cooper has been traveling from one city to another, conducting in each what he calls a campaign of education. For the past year he has met the public in the larger cities of the country, and his success has been phenomenal. Thousands of people have flocked to his headquarters wherever he has gone, and the sale of his medicine has been beyond anything of the kind ever before witnessed.

Possibly the most interesting feature of the attention this young man has attracted is what his army of followers, whom he has converted to his beliefs through his medicines, have to say on the subject. The following statements are from two well known residents of Chicago and Boston, respectively, and the enthusiasm of these is characteristic of Cooper's admirers generally.

Mrs. H. B. Mack, of 3201 State street, Chicago, says: "I have been suffering for 12 years from a combination of stomach troubles, catarrh and constipation. I had a gnawing pain in the pit of my stomach, a sort

of a dull pain that I could not quite understand. Then there was a dull headache, and my mind seemed to be wandering continually. I could not eat, and what little solid food I did eat I could not retain on my stomach. I tried every remedy I could think of, and also tried out a number of patent medicines, but without any apparent result. It was through one of my friends that I heard of Cooper's preparation, and I immediately decided to try some of it. It is two weeks since I took my first dose of it, and I feel like a new woman. The headache seems to have disappeared, and the pain in my stomach along with it. The medicine is worth its weight in gold, and I want to thank Mr. Cooper for what he has done for me."

Mr. Edwin F. Morse, of 20 Oakley street, Dorchester, a suburb of Boston, says: "For three years I had not a well day. My stomach was in frightful shape; the mere thought of food would nauseate me, and I really had a horror of anything to eat. All solid food would cause me extreme indigestion, bloating and gas on my stomach, and nothing tasted right. Some time ago I got some of this Cooper's medicines, about which there is so much talk. I actually feel as well and strong as a boy ever since the first bottle. Every sign of stomach trouble has disappeared, and I have a hearty appetite and eat three square meals; everything seems to taste good. Anyone who knows what chronic indigestion is can appreciate what this means to me. I consider this the most remarkable medicine I ever heard of."

We sell Mr. Cooper's medicines, and find them to be all he claims.—W. B. McPherson.

## FOREST FIRE IN TEXAS.

Million Dollars in Property Has Been Destroyed.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 5.—A prairie fire that started in Crosby county in Northwest Texas five days ago has caused the loss of nearly one million dollars, having devastated over 300,000 acres, part of which was cultivated, and destroyed twenty ranchers' houses and other buildings and killed about 15,000 head of cattle on the range. The fire started west of Elm, ma, the county seat, with a strong

north wind, and burned rapidly south and into Garza county, and was still raging two days ago.

The nearest telegraph station is 110 miles from the conflagration, which has burned sixty-eight miles on a straight line, and nearly seven miles wide. No loss of life is reported.

## Unusually Frank.

A Colorado man wound a clock every night for nineteen years and then discovered that it was an eight-day clock. Most men in his place would have pretended they knew it all the time.—Washington Post.

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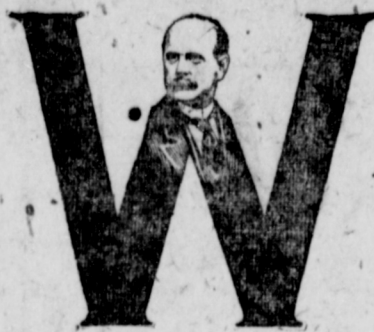
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The following reduced rates are announced:  
**MARDI GRAS**  
New Orleans, La., March 3, 1908.

For the above occasion the Illinois Central Railroad company will sell round trip tickets on February 26, 27, 28, 29 and on March 1 and 2, 1908, for \$15.95, good returning until March 10, 1908.

For information, apply to City Ticket Office, Fifth and Broadway or Union Depot.  
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Act City Ticket Office  
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Agent Union Depot

# STEMMING DIST. TOBACCO ARRIVES

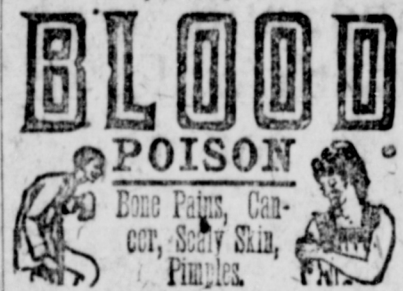
Large Deliveries and Sales to Imperial Company.

Situation at Clarksville Satisfactory and Buyers Are On Hand Ready.

# PLANT BED PREPARATIONS.

Henderson, Ky., Feb. 6.—The members of the Stemming District Tobacco association, which has headquarters in this city, are well pleased with the way in which the pooled tobacco is coming in and the warm rain, which began to fall Tuesday night, is expected to materially increase the daily receipts. In the five counties composing the district, two-thirds of the entire 1907 crop, sold to the Imperial Tobacco company, has been delivered. The total receipts thus far are 10,507,727 pounds.

In the deliveries Henderson and Webster counties take the palm. Henderson county has received 6,945,946 and Webster county 3,169,755. Union county takes third place with 776,130, while Crittenden county shows 478,646. Hopkins county is the district laggard, with receipts of only 110,750. Throughout the district in the deliveries of more than ten million pounds, only 69,180 pounds have been classified as damaged. The association is in a flourishing condition, and farmers who pooled this year are anxious to pool for several years to come.



Many people suffer from Blood Poison and don't know it. Read symptoms. Easily cured by B. B. B. If you have aches and pains in the bones, back or joints, itching, scabby skin, blood feels hot or thin, Swollen Glands, Rashes and Bumps on the skin, Sore Throat or Mouth, falling hair, Pimples or offensive eruptions, Cancerous Sores, Ulcers or Sores on Lips, Face or any part of the body, Take **Blood Balm**, (B. B. B.) Guaranteed to cure even the worst and most deep-seated cases. B. B. B. drives all poisonous matter from the system and sends a flood of pure, rich blood direct to the skin surface. In this way Aches and Pains are stopped, all Eruptions, Sores, Pimples, even cancer and every evidence of Blood Poison are quickly healed and cured, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition. Thousands of the worst cases cured by B. B. B. after all other treatment failed.

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All the patent medicines and toilet articles advertised in this paper are on sale at  
**McPherson's Drug Store**  
Fourth and Broadway.

Clarksville, Tenn., Feb. 6.—The buyers on this market seem to be ready to handle all tobacco that is ready for sale. The sale last week manifested that they did not regard the prices excessive. In fact, the prices on tobacco were to a certain extent fixed by the loose buyers, and the association has only added the cost of rehandling. The larger part of the crop is not really considered on the market until April, and by that time it is expected the warehouses will be pretty well filled and the sales will be speedily made.

**Harmony Exists.**  
Since the agreement signed by the buyers to receive no association tobacco, there has been perfect satisfaction, and they have closely adhered to their promise. They have solicited the various officials to keep them informed, as they desire not to be imposed upon by men who deny their membership.

**Committee Investigate.**  
At the meeting of the association here Monday it was reported that R. H. Walker & Co., were having shipped to their factory here handpacked tobacco from Kentucky. A committee was appointed to confer with the mayor and chamber of commerce for the purpose of ascertaining if this tobacco was all independent. The firm upon being seen stated that the tobacco was bought in the stemming district from a dealer who had decided to close out and quit business, and there was not a pound of association tobacco in the lot. This tobacco was brought here to fill an old order. This statement was satisfactory to the committee.

**Out of It.**  
Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 6.—The sudden an extreme cold snap of the last of the past week put an end to all movements of tobacco on the local market. Not only was this weather cold, but it was accompanied by high winds, the combination taking every bit of moisture out of the tobacco and making it impossible to handle it. Unless the temperature changes very materially those rehandling and pricing houses which are not equipped with steam apparatus for bringing tobacco into condition, will have to close down until the weather moderates.

The local salesman of the Planters' Protective association reports that the work of pricing and sorting the 800 types of tobacco which were graded at Guthrie recently, has now been completed and these are now ready for sale.

About 200 types were received last week, making a total of 1,000 now on deposit here.

**1907 Green River Crop Reported to Be Sold.**  
It is reported that a deal has been closed by which the American Tobacco company buys all of the Green River district equity tobacco of the 1907 crop remaining in the hands of the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse company amounting to 1,375 hogsheads. This is the last of the Green River crop of 1907.

The prices paid, it is stated, range from \$8 to \$11.50, and the total consideration for the tobacco will be about \$140,000. The sale is said to be generally satisfactory to persons having tobacco in the pool.

The distribution of the money will not be made for some time. After the tobacco is billed out and paid for all expenses of storage, insurance and selling will be paid, and the remainder turned into the hands of the society for distribution. A computation will then be made as to the amount due each individual who had

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If you are suffering from any skin disease, would it not pay you to try one bottle of D. D. D. Prescription? You probably have spent many times the cost of one bottle vainly trying to stop that awful burning itch.—R. W. Walker & Co. Call at our store for a free booklet on the care and nutrition of the skin with suggestions as to the use of D. D. D. Soap. This valuable booklet is absolutely free.

tobacco in the pool. Mr. S. B. Lee, national secretary of the Society of Equity, thinks that the poolers will get more money than they have been expecting out of the 1907 crop.

**Local Market.**  
The following is the report of the local market for January, compiled in hogsheds by Inspector Ed R. Miller:

|                 | 1908. | 1907. |
|-----------------|-------|-------|
| Receipts        | 551   | 492   |
| Year            | 551   | 492   |
| Sales month     | 63    | 121   |
| Year            | 63    | 121   |
| Shipments month | 243   | 320   |
| Year            | 243   | 320   |
| On sale         | 648   | 367   |
| Sold            | 36    | 170   |
| On hand         | 684   | 537   |

**Clarksville Conditions.**  
The Association salesmen have received the gradings of their type samples, and have sold several lots this week at full schedule prices. It seems that the scale published is accepted by the European buyers and they expect to unload the crop at those values, which are so acceptable to the planters. The sales were from the poorer crops, and hogs were sold from 7 to 9 1/2 cents, and medium leaf up to 12 1/2 cents.

Planters have nearly completed the preparation of their plant beds, and will resume the deliveries of their crops loose when the weather is suitable. We have rains today, but it may blow off too cold for handling. The pricing houses have about packed up their stocks and heavy deliveries could be cared for.

The stock of old tobacco consists of small remnants of lots—Leaf Chronicle.

# GOT DRUNK AGAIN BEFORE HE GOT OUT OF PADUCAH.

Trouble is certain to be in store for D. S. Garr tomorrow morning in the police court. Garr was arrested and tried yesterday morning in court on a charge of drunkenness, but won the leniency of the court with orders to leave town by 6 o'clock and stay away until he could come back and be decent. When Garr got drunk he went to his former wife's residence and raised a general disturbance. Last night he was loaded again and was making life unendurable in the vicinity of Eleventh and Jackson streets. He was taken to the city hall by Patrolmen Jones and Owen. His trial was continued until tomorrow.

**Instituted Rebekah Lodge.**  
Mrs. Rachael Anderson has returned from Clinton, where she instituted a lodge of the Daughters of Rebekah with fourteen charter members. Mrs. Anderson was assisted in the work by members of the order from Water Valley and Fulton. Mrs. Anderson is a state deputy for this order.

# Drug Talks No. 7

## Worth Heeding

Seventeen years is a pretty long time to be in business continually in one place, but this store has that record to its credit, and doing the largest drug business in town. A safe store to tie to.

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# 174 ENROLLED

## HIGH SCHOOL IN SECOND SEMESTER HAS 122 GIRLS.

"Ishkoodah" Staff Will Produce Play in Short Time—News of the Schools.

During the second semester 174 students have been enrolled in the High school, and of these 122 are girls. The boys of the city are represented by 52. Thus in Paducah, as elsewhere, the trouble is getting boys to remain in the High school. Many of the boys start the freshmen year, but when the senior year is reached the number has dropped to a low mark.

In the near future a play will be given by the staff of editors of the "Ishkoodah," the High school monthly, for the benefit of the paper. The young players will be coached by Misses Adah L. Brazelton and Anna Bird Stewart, of the faculty, and the play may be presented in the next three weeks. Under the coaching of the teachers the students have become proficient in the art, and several more ambitious efforts may be undertaken this semester. The play has not been selected, but several are under consideration.

Miss Elizabeth Daugherty, of Nashville, has been offered a position in the Washington building, caused by the resignation of Miss Mary Owell Murray. Superintendent Cawsey has not received any word from Miss Daugherty. Miss Daugherty is a graduate of the Peabody Institute at Nashville, and for several years was a member of the faculty of the West Kentucky college at Mayfield. She was recommended highly to Superintendent Carnagey.

Principals of the buildings held a meeting with Superintendent Carnagey yesterday afternoon at his office in the High school, and the shifting of several pupils from one building to another to relieve the crowded conditions was completed. Little more complaint is expected now, as all the troubles have been adjusted and the work of the second semester has begun in fine shape.

Miss Emma Morgan, principal of the McKinley building, is ill today and Miss Inez Bell is substitute in her place.

George Jackson, principal of the Lincoln building, is not teaching today owing to a death in the family. No session of his room was held.

# MAYFIELD.

Was it real or a fake is the question that is agitating the mind of Chief McNutt since he received a telephone message that the night riders were coming. Monday night about 11 o'clock Chief McNutt received a telephone message while at his home. A man's voice was heard at the other end of the line which said: "Mr. McNutt this is a night rider and I want to inform you that we are coming to Mayfield. We know you and like you and do not want to hurt you, so we give you this warning for you to keep out of the way that we will not be compelled to injure you. Don't act a fool and come after us." With this information the stranger hung up the receiver and refused to give his name.

Mr. McNutt did not ascertain that the person talked from the Newsom exchange of the Home telephone.

While Mr. McNutt was not much excited yet he is inclined to think that the warning was the real article.

The report that unknown parties had salted the tobacco plant bed of John Ford, of Sedalia, was erroneous. Mr. Ford put the salt on the bed him.

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It affords quick and pure relief of the most obstinate coughs simply by promoting expectoration. The ingredients are simple, the results are certain and I can recommend it, in the light of many years experience with it.

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self when he sowed the tobacco seed. He was in the city Monday and told that he had tried a new experiment of sowing salt and tobacco seed together and never intimated that night riders had visited his place during the night and salted his bed. The salt Mr. Ford said is used to retain the moisture in the soil.

# CHARITY CLUB HAS CALLS FROM WILLING WORKERS.

Among the beneficiaries of the Charity club are a number of women, who are willing to help themselves by doing washing and ironing or housecleaning. Anyone desiring the services of such women, either white or colored, should communicate with the general secretary of the club at 307 Kentucky avenue, or by phone 629. Under ordinary conditions the secretary has more calls for women than he can fill but at this season of the year there seems to be more applicants than jobs.

# NEW LAW

passed by Congress forbidding railroad operators working more than nine hours a day, has created demand for about 30,000 more telegraph operators than can now be secured. Railroad companies have cut railroad wires into Telegraphy Departments of

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Steamers Joe Fowler and John S. Hopkins, leave Paducah for Evansville and way landings at 11 a. m. THE STEAMER DICK FOWLER Leaves Paducah for Cairo and way landings at 8 a. m. sharp, daily, except Sunday. Special excursion rates now in effect from Paducah to Cairo and return, with or without meals and room. Good music and table unsurpassed.

For further information apply to S. A. Fowler, General Pass. Agent, or Given Fowler, City Pass. Agent, at Fowler-Crumbaugh & Co's Office, First and Broadway.

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Leaves Paducah for Tennessee River Every Wednesday at 4 p. m.

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This company is not responsible for invoice charges unless collected by the clerk of the boat.

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**OGILVIE'S**

The Daylight Store

**Black Underskirts, 98c**

One lot of Black Underskirts, imitation Heatherbloom and satine, made with ruffles and pleated, a dandy quality; Friday **98c**

**White Muslin Skirts, \$1.00**

One lot of Muslin Underskirts, made with five tucks and heavy wide lace, a very good grade of muslin; one to a customer, at **\$1.00**

**Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 3 for 50c**

Six dozen only white hemstitched, cross-barred embroidered linen Handkerchiefs, regular 25c grade; for Friday selling three for **50c**

**White Shirt Waists, 98c**

The remaining lot of sample Shirt Waists that we offered last Friday for \$1.49, including some worth up to \$2.50, all Friday **98c**

**Redfern Corsets, \$2.49**

Owing to bad weather last Friday we are able to offer you again this Friday a lot of Redfern \$4 and \$5 Corsets for **\$2.49**

**FRIDAY**

The Best for Less

**Remnants of White Goods, 1/3 Off**

A lot of remnants of white goods, 2 1/2 and 3 yards lengths, swisses and other good materials for about one-third to one-half off regular prices.

**Embroideries—Wide, 1/3 Off**

One lot of wide corset cover and flouncing embroidery that is slightly soiled from being shown. This we offer at one-third off regular marked price.

**Val. Lace and Insertion, 35c and 15c Piece**

Two lots 50 pieces each Val. Lace and Insertion to match, a dandy quality and good new patterns, worth 60c and 35c piece; we offer them Friday, per piece **15c and 35c**

**Soaps and Toilet Articles**

100 pounds of Castile Soap, a good quality and a familiar brand, offered Friday, per pound **10c**

And other cut prices of toilet articles and soaps.

**FRIDAY AT  
OGILVIE'S****SPECIALS**

First in Everything

**RIVER NEWS**

## River Stages.

|              |      |     |      |
|--------------|------|-----|------|
| Cairo        | 19.2 | 2.7 | rise |
| Chattanooga  | 8.3  | 1.0 | fall |
| Cincinnati   | 28.8 | 9.1 | rise |
| Evansville   | 19.8 | 3.6 | rise |
| Florence     | 17.4 | 0.6 | st'd |
| Johnsonville | 12.8 | 1.2 | rise |
| Louisville   | 19.5 | 2.1 | rise |
| Mt. Carmel   | 7.9  | 0.0 | st'd |
| Nashville    | 20.9 | 4.8 | rise |
| Pittsburg    | 2.4  | 0.3 | rise |
| St. Louis    | 2.4  | 0.3 | rise |
| Mt. Vernon   | 17.4 | 0.9 | st'd |
| Paducah      | 18.0 | 3.0 | rise |

Ohio continues to rise at Paducah reaching 25 foot stage by Sunday.

The Martha Hennen arrived last night from the Tennessee with a tow of ties. She took her tow on to Joppa this morning.

The American is due in today from the Tennessee with ties.

The Vincennes left today for the Tennessee after ties.

The Hosmer and the Fannie Wallace, sister boats, pulled the Charles Turner in the river yesterday afternoon. The Turner was towed to the dry docks this morning by the Fannie Wallace and was taken on for repairs.

The Butteroff is due in today from Nashville and will leave immediately on a return trip.

The Jim Duffy got away this morn-

ing with nine barges for the White river to tow ties for the Ayer & Lord company. She will be gone several months.

The Clyde went to Brookport last night after taking on her freight at Paducah and received nine carloads of freight. She left at 3 o'clock this morning for the Tennessee.

The Mary Anderson left this morning for Nashville after ties for the Ayer & Lord company.

The Hosmer left today for Smithland after a tow of ties.

The Chattanooga is due in today from the Tennessee with a tow of ties and lumber for Brookport and Joppa. She will leave tomorrow noon for Chattanooga.

River stage 18.0, a rise of 3.0 feet in the last 24 hours.

The Stacker Lee will leave Louisville, where she put up on account of the ice, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock for Memphis. She is due here Sunday morning.

The Vincennes and two of her barges broke loose yesterday afternoon when the Fannie Wallace pulled a barge of coal alongside to coal her. The crew of the Vincennes had all left the boat and the watchman had gone for some reason, when she broke loose. The crew of the Fannie Wallace took charge of the Vincennes and got her landed after she had gone down the river about 300 yards. No damage was done the boat.

Richard Robinson, a colored roustabout on the Dick Fowler, did the hero act yesterday by pulling two peo-

ple out of the river, one here and one at Joppa. The fellow that fell in here attempted to jump a gap between two boats, but fell short and struck his chin on the Fowler and fell senseless in the river. Robinson happened to be watching and hastened to pull out the man, who would have drowned had it not been for Robinson. The young man's name could not be learned. Another man by the name of Henry Clark fell overboard from the Fowler at Joppa and was pulled out by Robinson.

## Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon, will continue rising during the next 36 hours. At Paducah and Cairo, will continue rising for three days.

The Tennessee at Florence and Riverton, very little change during the next 24 hours. At Johnsonville, will continue rising for 24 hours.

The Mississippi from below St. Louis to Cairo, will rise tonight. The Wabash at Mt. Carmel, will rise for two or three days.

Note: Ice reports are as follows: Parkersburg, navigation suspended; Louisville, river half full of floating ice; Evansville, some light running ice; Chester, river full of ice; Cape Girardeau, river half full of light floating ice. The ice in the Ohio at Cairo has thinned considerably, and in the Mississippi, back of Cairo, it is somewhat lighter.

To show selfishness is certain to reap sorrow.

**LAYMEN**

WILL BE INTERESTED IN WORK OF CHURCH.

Broadway Methodists Decide to Institute Movement Along Modern Lines at Conference.

It was decided at the quarterly conference session of the Broadway Methodist church last night to inaugurate the Laymen's Movement in this church. Dr. Vernon Blythe was appointed "keyman" to the situation. The object is to develop the men of the church along the lines of more aggressive church work. This twentieth century movement is solving some of the problems of the large city churches today, and is giving a fine impetus to their activities.

It was the first quarterly conference of the church year, and the reports from all the departments of the church were encouraging. The Rev. J. W. Blackard, presiding elder, was in the chair and a large number of the officials were present.

**RAILROAD NOTES**

## Fish-Harriman Fight.

With the final briefs filed, with Judge Ball in the circuit court in the fight for the control of the Illinois Central, and with legal counsel awaiting a decision, the Fish-Harriman fight for proxies goes merely on.

The latest bid of the Fish faction for control of the road is a circular letter issued to the stockholders, wherein are compiled statistics comparing the condition of the Illinois Central in 1906, Fish's last year in control, with that of the Chicago and Alton for the same year, Harriman's last year in control.

According to the circular, the Illinois Central spent \$29,459,200 from the income for permanent improvements, while the Alton, under Harriman, spent \$518,350—the Illinois Central, about four and one-half times as long as the Alton, devoting fifty-six times as much to permanent improvements. It further is pointed out that expenses of operation, including taxes, increased 95 per cent for the Illinois Central and 111 per cent for the Alton. Net receipts from operation increased 75 per cent for the Illinois Central and 41 per cent for the Alton. Net income from the Illinois Central from all sources increased 69 per cent, while the increase from the Alton was 38 per cent. Fixed charges, including interest, rents and sinking fund, increased about 17 per cent for the Illinois Central and 151 per cent for the Alton. In the amount available for dividends the Illinois Central increased 147 per cent, while the Alton decreased 37 per cent. The capital stock of the Illinois Central increased 81 per cent, as against a 79 per cent increase of the Alton. For the Illinois Central the amount of dividends paid on capital stock increased 153 per cent and decreased 47 per cent for the Alton. Net income from all sources, per mile per annum, increased 44 per cent for the Illinois Central and 29 per cent for the Alton, while the fixed charges decreased 52-100 per cent for the Illinois Central and increased 121 per cent for the Alton.

## BIG FLEET AT ANCHOR.

Admiral Evans Joined by Torpedo Flotilla.

Punta Arenas, Strait Magellan, Feb. 6.—It was 3:15 o'clock when the American torpedo boat flotilla, consisting of six torpedo boat destroyers, came to anchor in the roads off this port near the battleships of Rear Admiral Evans' fleet. Their long voyage from Buenos Ayres occupied five days, and the little vessels stood the trip well. They arrived here in good condition, notwithstanding adverse weather. On two days of the trip very rough weather was experienced, but no mishap occurred. During the remainder of the run very pleasant weather made the voyage easy.

## I. C. MAY ISSUE SECURITIES.

Road Needs \$30,000,000 to Pay for Cars and Betterments.

New York, Feb. 6.—Directors of the Illinois Central railroad are considering plans for issuing equipment securities to the extent of \$30,000,000. For a year or more the company has had a large floating indebtedness incurred by the purchase of equipment and the building of several branch lines. The loan probably will take the form of bonds issued against an equipment mortgage.

## FISH! FISH!

Friday

At The Ideal Market  
512 Broadway  
Columbia Building.

## Cut Down Naval Budget.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Concluding the appearance of navy officials before the house committee on naval affairs, Secretary Metcalf today asked for an appropriation of nearly \$74,000,000 for the construction and equipment of war vessels. While no vote was taken the impression prevails that the secretary's estimate will be reduced materially, possibly to the limit of \$40,000,000.

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Friday we give our final Two Hour Sale in our Ready-to-wear department, and to make it a suitable climax to those preceding, and doubly interesting, with wider scope—we will offer for this period—9:30 to 11:30—all specials offered for the three preceding sales, with three items added. Be here on time Friday—tomorrow morning at 9:30.

Ladies' Skirts—black, brown, blue, Panama, regular price \$14.50, \$12.50 and \$10, **Two Hour Price \$5.98.**

Ladies' Skirts—blues, browns, blacks and Panamas, regular price \$9.50 and \$8.50, **Two Hour Price \$4.98.**

Ladies' Black Voile Skirts—regular price \$14, \$12.50 and \$10, **Two Hour Price \$8.58.**

25 skirts left in the cheaper lots, **98c, \$1.58 and \$1.98.** These skirts sold originally for \$8.50, \$5.90 and \$3.50.

Misses Skirts—gray mixtures, regular price \$2.95, **Two Hour Price \$1.39.**

Ladies' Coat Suits—in large sizes only. Your size, **Choice Two Hours Only \$7.98.**

Children's Suits—in mixtures only, sizes 10, 12 and 14, regular price \$9.50 and \$8.50, **Two Hours Only \$3.98.**

Ladies' Caracul Coats—regular price \$32.50, **Two Hour Price \$10.00.**

Regular price \$12.50 and \$10.00, **Two Hour Price \$5.98.**

Crushed Velvet—regular price \$9.50, **Two Hour Price \$3.98.**

Ladies' Cloth 50-in. Coats—in mixtures, browns, blues, blacks and tans, regular price \$8.50, **Two Hour Price \$3.98.**

Ladies' Cloth 50-in. Coats—in tans and blacks, regular price \$12.50 and \$9.50, **Two Hour Price \$5.98.**

Ladies' Black Cloth Coats—lined with satin throughout, regular price \$25, **Two Hour Price \$10.00.**

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